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SEEK TO ABSOLVE ALDRICH TARIFF

Republicans of Congress Want to Use Inquiry Into the High Cost of Living to This Purpose.

BOTH HOUSES WILL ACT.

Democrats on Committees Plan to Show New Rates Increase Prices on Necessities of Life.

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The whole machinery of congress and the administration will be used to relieve the Aldrich law of responsibility for the high cost of living.

Independent investigations to this end will be made by a special committee of the senate and by the ways and means committee of the house. In addition, American representatives abroad will report upon any increases in the cost of living and the reasons therefor.

It is expected that the result of the investigations will be to clear the Republican party of all responsibility for the condition that exists. The reports of the committees will be distributed throughout the country, so that every voter will have a strong argument in support of the Aldrich law and a plausible explanation of the increase in the cost of living.

Public Opinion Forces Inquiry.

The investigations were determined upon after it became apparent to the leaders that it was imperative to meet the charge that the revision of the tariff law had contributed to the advance in prices on the necessaries of life.

Senator Elkins of West Virginia urged such action at the beginning of the session and introduced a resolution for a joint congressional investigation. But Senator Elkins does not enjoy great popularity with his colleagues. Moreover, at that time Senator Aldrich, chairman of the finance committee of the senate, believed it would be bad policy to emphasize the agitation against the tariff law. However, the Rhode Island senator has changed his mind, and he looked with more favor today upon the resolution drafted by Senator Lodge directing the vice president to appoint a committee of five senators to determine:

1. Whether prices of the necessaries of life have increased during the last ten years and the cause of such increase.

2. Whether and to what extent the wages have increased during the same period.

House Inquiry Is Wide.

The senate resolution covers practically the same ground as that drafted by Representative Payne, chairman of the house ways and means committee and Champ Clark of Missouri, the Democratic leader. The Payne-Clark resolution directs the ways and means committee to make a thorough and complete investigation into:

1. The cost of the necessaries of life, including clothing, fuel, furniture, meats, breadstuffs and provisions generally, and implements.

2. The cost of production and wholesale and retail prices thereof and the rate of profit to the merchant.

3. Whether such cost and prices are affected by any laws of the United States.

Both committees are instructed to report any measures which, in their judgment, will contribute to restore prices to the normal level. The ways and means committee, however, frankly proposes to defend the Aldrich law. Its members say it should make the investigation for the reason that during the consideration of the tariff bill it gathered a vast amount of information bearing directly upon the cost of living and the effect of the various tariff schedules upon prices.

Payne Absolves the Tariff.

As an indication of the "fairness" with which this committee will deal with the tariff feature of this investigation the views of Representative Payne are pertinent.

"One remarkable fact militates against the theory that the tariff is responsible for the increased cost of living," said Mr. Payne. "This is that the increases which now are the most marked have occurred in the case of articles the tariff upon which was reduced. I heard today of a bible publishing house which advertised that it must raise the price of bibles because the tariff on leather and on print paper had been increased. Now every person who has any familiarity with the tariff law knows that the tariff on leather was reduced on each item 25 to 75 per cent.

"Shortly after the tariff bill was passed an increase was made in the price of wool and woolen goods. For this also the tariff was blamed. The fact is that there is a shortage of wool. The advance in the prices felt all over the world. No increase was made in tariff on any item in the woolen schedule.

"The price of shoes has gone up, too. And yet we reduced the tariff on shoes from 35 per cent, the old rate, to 10 per cent. We placed hides on the free list, and, in spite of that and the decreased duty on leather, the price of hides and leather has gone up.

"Then there is beef. Everyone knows that beef is high and that the price has gone up since the tariff bill was passed. Yet we reduced the tariff on fresh meat from 2 cents, the Dingley rate, to 1½ cents per pound.

Says Reductions Outweigh Advances.

"In the aggregate the reductions made in the present tariff from the Dingley rate affect over $5,000,000,000 worth of goods consumed, while the advances affect $700,000,000 worth of goods consumed. And of the $700,000,000 on which there were advances, all except $300,000,000 were luxuries. This shows the sort of logic which blames the tariff for the high cost of living."

The senate plays politics more deftly than does the house. The suggestion was made that the finance committee would be the proper instrument to investigate. But it was frowned upon by Senator Aldrich and others, who realized that the country would look with suspicion upon the report of a committee which produced the Aldrich law. Therefore, Senator Lodge's proposition of a select committee received approval. Senator Lodge probably will be the chairman. He is convinced the tariff changes were not responsible for the high prices.

Both committees will obtain the services of expert economists. Witnesses representing all the big industries, the farmers, professors of economy, and others who may be able to throw light upon the subject will be examined. By the latter part of next summer the committees will be able to make their report.

SUMMARY OF THE NEWS.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1910.

THE WEATHER—

FORECAST—Threatening and colder Thursday. Friday fair, brisk north, shifting to northwest, winds.

Sunrise, 7:02; sunset, 5:08. Moonrise, 1:26 a. m.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

Temperature, max. 42, min. 36, mean 40, normal for the day 32. Excess since Jan. 1, 61.

Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., .04. Excess since Jan. 1, 1 inch.

Wind, S. W., max. 22 miles an hour, at 9:45 p. m.

Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 79%, 7 p. m. 59%.

Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 29.95, 7 p. m. 29.91.

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No Poets in Missouri.
The Great Betrayal.

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Hoppe leads Morningstar in the first night's play of billiard match in Pittsburg, 500 to 312.

Director Stagg leaves today to attend the football rules committee meeting in New York tomorrow.

Sullivan tells of fight with Cardiff in Minneapolis in which he broke his arm.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Arrived.	Port.
ALICE	Naples.
BANNOCKBURN	Murras.
CAMPANIA	Liverpool.
FITZPATRICK	Yokohama.
HILONIAN	San Francisco.
KOENIG ALBERT	New York.
NUMIDIAN	Halifax.
OCEANIC	Manila.
PERUGIA	Naples.
SAMLAND	Antwerp.
STATENDAM	New York.
Sailed.	Port.
CELTIC	New York.
FINLAND	New York.
FRIESLAND	Liverpool.
ITALIA	New York.
IRENE	Patras.
LAZIO	St. Michaels.
CURLINE	San Francisco.
MARIPOSA	San Francisco.
MONTEZUMA	St. John.
ST. LOUIS	Southampton.
UMBRIA	New York.

WIRELESS REPORTS.

EMPRESS OF BRITAIN Out 650 miles from Halifax.

MAURETANIA ..... Out 750 miles from New York.

Sunday Morning

Next Sunday (Feb. 6th), many people desiring business positions such as salesmen, stenographers, bookkeepers, clerks, office boys, etc., will read the classified section of the Chicago Tribune. If you want replies from the very best class of such people you should by all means have your ad in this issue. Just call

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ask for an ad-taker, tell her what you want, and she will write your ad.

WARRINER GAVE COOKES $168,000?

Former Big Four Treasurer Swears Chicagoan, Wife, and Son Got Large Share of Stolen Money.

FAILS TO CONCEAL FACTS.

Attorney for Mrs. Ford Breaks Down Attempt to Prevent Revealing of Other Names in the Case.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Charles L. Warriner, former local treasurer of the Big Four railroad, today testified that in the last seven years he had paid to the family of Edgar S. Cooke of Chicago at least $168,000. This money, he said, he stole from the treasury of the railroad. This money, he declared, was given to Cooke, his wife, and his son, James Cooke.

Warriner admitted that he had kept no accurate account of his payments either to the Cookes or to Mrs. Jeanette Timmins Stewart Ford, although he said that he knew fairly close to what he had paid them.

"I would estimate that I gave Edgar S. Cooke as much as I contributed to Mrs. Ford, if not several thousand dollars more," he said. "I know I gave him and his family $1,000 every month for those seven years."

Tries to Evade Answering.

Warriner and the prosecution tried to evade answering the questions of Attorney William Thorndyke of the defense which led up to this turn in the testimony. But Thorndyke kept at him until he admitted that the entire Cooke family had been drawing large sums from him ever since he began to pay Mrs. Ford to keep her mouth closed about the shortages in the Big Four offices.

Warriner said that there had been no direct threats of exposure from any member of the Cooke family, but that Mrs. Cooke told him if she could not break up the attachment which existed between her husband and Mrs. Ford that she did not care how soon her husband went to jail. This, Warriner said, was in the nature of a threat, as he would have been implicated if Cooke had been exposed.

Thorndyke reminded Warriner that it was stated at the time of the exposure he had given the officials a correct memorandum of the amounts. Warriner denied this.

Cooke Didn't Know Source.

"Did Cooke know where this money was coming from?" asked Thorndyke.

"No, he didn't."

"But there was an understanding or an implied threat from Mrs. Ford when she received money, was there not?"

"Yes."

"Was there an understanding between you and Cooke?"

"No, but there was an understanding that we were both using money to keep Mrs. Ford's mouth shut."

Warriner said he had no resources other than his salary and that all the money he had given Cooke and Mrs. Ford had been stolen from the road's coffers. He said Cooke suspected him of having flirted with Mrs. Ford, but that he never had done so.

When portions of letters written by Warriner, Cooke, and herself were read in court Mrs. Ford broke down. Once she had to be taken out of the room until she could recover her nerves.

Letter to Younger Cooke.

The following letter was written by Warriner, according to his statement, to James Cooke:

"I met her (Mrs. Ford) in the same old way and the matter of our friendship was never mentioned. The fact is that I think she wants him (E. S. Cooke) and nothing else—that she has put the price so high that she does not think it can be paid. I do not think she wants the money and I do not think she has any idea of getting it. She wants the other, and the question is, What can we do to defeat it?"

Attorney Thorndyke read to the jury half a dozen other letters written by Warriner to the Cookes in which there were strong and frequent references to Mrs. Ford's infatuation for the Chicago man.

The lawyer dwelt at length on the expressions and repeatedly asked Warriner if he believed the woman was sincere. The witness replied in the affirmative.

"Is it true that this woman was willing to give up friends, money, position, and everything in the world for Cooke? Is it not true that he was all in the world that she desired?" Mr. Thorndyke asked.

"I believe so," replied Warriner.

Comstock's Name Brought In.

The name of Frank D. Comstock was once again brought into the records when Warriner testified to having learned through Cooke of a quarrel between Mrs. Ford and Comstock in a Cincinnati café. Warriner declared he had no recollection as to the cause of the quarrel.

Prosecutor Hunt made several objections to the introduction of Comstock's name and to evidence being given of Warriner's relations with Cooke or others besides the defendant. He was overruled each time by the court, but the controversy caused Attorney Thorndyke to reiterate his assertion that there were others involved in the shortage whose names he intended should be exposed.

That Cooke and Mrs. Ford wanted Warriner to provide a settlement for Mrs. Ford's little girl, and that litigation over her fell through when he refused to do this was brought out by the filing of evidence by the prosecution.

GIVES GRANDCHILD TO POLICE.

William O'Hern Says Mary O'Neill's Father and Mother Have Gone and He Can't Care for Baby.

Placing his 2 year old grandchild on Sergeant Robert Wiseman's desk at the Cottage Grove avenue police station last night, William O'Hern, 55 years old, 2834 Vernon avenue, said:

"Her name is Mary Agnes O'Neill; her father is Daniel O'Neill, a soldier, now in the Philippines. He deserted my daughter and now she has gone. I want you to search for her and take charge of the child. I hate to part with her, but what can a man of my age do?"

The child was taken to St. Vincent's Orphan asylum. Detectives were assigned to search for its mother.

SCHOOL ARCHITECT AN AJAX

Defies Lightning in Resolution Adopted by Board Commitee.

WILL CLING TO HIS PLACE.

Proposed Rule Would Prevent Him from Doing Outside Business.

Dwight H. Perkins will be forced to choose between his private business and his position as school architect for the board of education if a resolution adopted by the buildings and grounds committee yesterday receives the approval of the full board.

The resolution brought up smoldering differences between President Alfred B. Urion and the architect. It was offered by President Urion and was immediately followed by a call for an executive session. It follows:

Resolved, That no employe of the Chicago board of education shall engage in other business while in the employment of the board.

Although the language of the resolution was general, it was construed as a direct thrust at Architect Perkins.

"Does the resolution aim at Mr. Perkins?" was asked of Mr. Urion.

"I wish you wouldn't call on me to answer that question," was the reply, the only one that Mr. Urion would make.

Mr. Perkins had retired from the committee room with the call for executive session and did not know of the adoption of the resolution until later.

Perkins Will Not Retire.

"I shall not retire from the position as school architect," he said. "It is an important and responsible position in the life of any city. The public and the taxpayers whose money goes to build and maintain our schools know whether I am an able, honest, and economical architect. The public has been misadvised many times concerning the work of my office.

"I have been subjected to many petty and superficial annoyances, but that is all in the day's work. If I am forced to choose between my private business, such as it is, and the privilege of working for the public school system, I shall give up private enterprise. I purpose to go ahead.

"The only question that can be raised is my ability. I am satisfied to rest my case on the work that has been done under my supervision, and neither Mr. Urion nor any member of the board has attacked it. I shall look beyond the present incumbent of the president's office and ignore personal antipathies and antagonism. But it seems rather unjust that I should be called on to relinquish all private enterprises when all my predecessors were members of well known firms."

Musicians' Names for Schools.

American men of note versus distinguished foreign musicians for the honor of giving names to new public schools engaged the attention of the committee. The debate rose in consequence of a letter from Trustee Oscar F. Greifenhagen to the committee.

"It is regrettable that many schools are named after personages whose identity seems to be almost lost," Mr. Greifenhagen wrote. "In looking over the list of names of schools I find that one particular profession or art, music, has been almost entirely overlooked. I would suggest that the schools to be erected at Hamlin and Humboldt avenues, and at Sacramento and Berteau avenues be named after Mozart and Beethoven."

"It seems to me we have enough good men in this country after whom we may name schools without going into foreign countries," declared Dr. McFatrich.

It was decided to name the new school building at State and One Hundred and Fourth streets the Kohn school, in remembrance of the late Dr. Alfred D. Kohn. The naming of other schools will be delegated to a special committee to be appointed by President Urion.

MOTHER TRANSFERS $350,000 IN PROPERTY TO 2 DAUGHTERS.

"Mere Family Incident," Says Mrs. Adele F. Adams—"Consideration" Was "Love and Affection."

Mrs. Adele Foster Adams, wife of former Congressman George E. Adams, yesterday presented her daughters with property valued at over $350,000.

"It was a mere family incident," she said, when questioned about the gift.

Miss Margaret Adams and Mrs. Mason Bross were the ones benefited by the transfers in the recorder's office. Miss Adams received the premises, 263 to 267 Fifth avenue, valued at $96,000, and 211 and 213 Lake street, valued at $115,605.

Mrs. Bross was presented with the property at 487 to 489 Wabash avenue, 2510 Calumet avenue, 311 to 337 East Twenty-fifth street, 2835 to 2839 State street, 811 and 813 Green street, and 816 West Fulton street. The first of these alone is valued at $96,000. The "consideration" for the transfers is "love and affection."

"I have just heard the news myself," said Mrs. Bross. "No, it is not a birthday present, or anything like that; simply a gift from my mother."

DEATH CLAIMS TWIN GIRLS AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME.

Little Daughters of David A. Parmele, Irving Park, Are Separated but a Few Hours.

Two little girls, who began life together at the same hour several years ago, after being separated for a short time by death, were by the same means reunited yesterday.

Mildred Isabel and Miriam Louise Parmele, each aged 7 years 7 months and 12 days, died within a few hours of each other at the residence of their parents, 4025 North Forty-fourth avenue in Irving Park.

Miriam was the first to be taken sick, some weeks ago. Recently Mildred became ill from pneumonia. She grew worse rapidly and died yesterday morning. Miriam, who had been suffering from grip and bronchitis, lived only a few hours longer and did not know of her sister's death.

The funeral will be from the First Baptist church of Irving Park to Mount Olivet this afternoon. The father, David A. Parmele, is a railway contractor.

BJORNSEN IS CRITICALLY ILL.

Norwegian Poet and Novelist, Whose Condition Has Been Serious Recently, Reported Near Death.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—Bjornstjerne Bjornsen, the Norwegian poet and novelist, whose condition has been serious recently, is reported near death.

THREE ACQUITTED OF JURY "FIXING"

Holland, Rayburn, and Martin Are Found Not Guilty on the First Ballot of Panel.

SCENE SHIFTS TO JUDGES.

Committee of Jurists Invites Wayman to Present Any Further Facts if He Has Them.

In one ballot and ten minutes' time a jury late yesterday afternoon acquitted John J. Holland, suspended jury commissioner; Willis J. Rayburn, a real estate dealer; and Nicholas Martin, secretary to Ald. Michael Kenna, of charges of conspiracy to fix the jury panels of Cook county by placing the names of "crooked" jurors on the lists.

The ballot was taken as soon as the jurors got into the jury room and seated themselves. Each vote was for acquittal, and there was nothing further to do than sign up the verdict and return it into the court. The jurors hurried away as soon as they had been discharged, and comment on the case from them was not forthcoming.

"Did you go over the court's instructions and the evidence?" one was asked as he made a dash for the door of the courtroom.

"No. It wasn't necessary. We just took a vote and every one agreed the verdict should be acquittal."

Holland to Seek Redress.

A development from the acquittal will be the pushing, according to Holland, of his suit for $50,000 damages against the public prosecutor.

"I have no comment to make at this time, either on the verdict or on the things that happened during the trial," said Mr. Wayman in the evening. "At the proper time and place I shall have something to say."

"The trial was a joke," said Holland, his face wreathed in smiles. "They didn't have any evidence at all and knew it when they started in on the case. They simply fought in a vain effort to make good. Mr. Erbstein has charge of my suit against Mr. Wayman."

"And the declaration in the suit will be filed and the case pushed as soon as we can get to it," said Charles Erbstein, the suspended jury commissioner's counsel.

"Nick" Martin laughed as he said: "I guess the verdict speaks for itself, don't it?"

James Brady, counsel for Martin, was not in court when the verdict was returned.

Verdict Expected by Darrow.

"The result is just as we expected," said Clarence Darrow, attorney for Rayburn. "There was nothing on which to hang the prosecution excepting the so-called Martin confession, and that couldn't count against anybody but Martin himself."

Assistant State's Attorneys Northup and Crowe, who prosecuted the case, announced that they had said all they had to say in their arguments to the jury denouncing the defendants as conspirators and demanding that they be sent to the penitentiary.

Attorney Brady, in concluding his argument to the jury, bitterly attacked Assistant State's Attorney Nicholas Michels and Detective Weccard, who got the so-called confession from Martin.

"You talk about graft," said Mr. Brady. "When was there ever such graft shown as exudes from the state's attorney's office in the intimacy of Michels and Weccard, the actual conspirators in this case? John E. W. Wayman was duped in this case and one of his own assistants put over on him one of the most nefarious deals that ever was jobbed across on a public official."

Judges to Renew Inquiry.

After the verdict was returned interest shifted to the judicial inquiry into the status of the office of the jury commissioners. This investigation—placed by the judges in the hands of a committee consisting of Judges A. C. Barnes, Lewis Rinaker, and Lockwood Honoré—was halted several weeks ago.

Practically it was admitted when the recess was taken that up to that time no evidence had been found to sustain the charges of the state's attorney that the commission had been manipulated in the interest of jury fixers. Mr. Wayman, however, expressed an unwillingness to offer all his evidence prior to the trial. At the time of the arrests he stated that the jury commissioner's office was "the rottenest hole in Cook county."

This was taken by the judges as a reflection not only on the commissioners, but upon the courts, through the implication of constant jury fixing.

(In the words of one of them: "The judges deprecate such a wholesale charge now, as it appears, without foundation. The whole court has been dragged needlessly in the mud."

It rests with the committee whether it expresses any such views in its report.

Holland's suspension will not be lifted, at least, until after the report is made up.

Willing to Receive Evidence.

"I cannot comment on the verdict," said Judge Barnes, chairman of the judicial committee. "The committee inquiry was halted so that it might not interfere with the trial. It will be resumed as soon as the judges on the committee can find time for the hearing. Mr. Wayman still can present evidence before the committee. He has been conducting an inquiry into the jury lists and may have found instances of possible fraud. The form of the report has not been considered."

"I have no comments to make upon the verdict," said Judge Honoré. "The investigation by the committee of which I am a member has been to see what Mr. Wayman's concealed evidence was that would throw light on conditions in the jury commissioners' office.

"Expecting it would appear at the trial, we had a stenographer present in court to take the testimony. The transcript will be read by the members of the committee and considered."

Second Sensation of Wayman's Regime.

The investigation of the jury commissioners' office came as the second sensation in State's Attorney Wayman's administration. Bench warrants were issued for the arrest of Holland, Rayburn, and Martin, charging them with conspiring to defeat justice through manipulating juries.

Indictments against the trio were voted by the September grand jury. After various attempts to secure trial, and after several changes of venue, the hearings began before Judge Tuthill Jan. 24.

AUTO IS USED BY BANDITS

Victim Is Dragged Into Machine, Robbed, Then Thrown Out.

MANY SEE DARING ATTACK.

Well Dressed Rogues Flee in Vehicle After Despoiling J. M. Butz.

Dragged into an automobile by two men, who sprang out of the conveyance when he waited for it to pass in the slushy roadway at Monroe street and California avenue early last night, Jacob M. Butz, 116 California avenue, was carried a block, robbed of $82, and then thrown out. The robbers, Butz asserts, were dressed in evening suits.

Butz was nearing his house with the day's receipts of his restaurant at 710 West Madison street when the car came up behind him in California avenue. A warning signal sounded on the horn caused him to pause, expecting the car would continue its way west in Monroe street.

Scarcely had he halted when the bandit stepped out of the auto and seized him by the throat. A second later the other man reached out and, despite his struggles, Butz was lifted into the conveyance. Both men carried revolvers, and the white muffler of one was torn in the scuffle.

Vain Search for the Robbers.

"There'll be no trouble, stranger, so long as you keep that voice of yours to yourself," exclaimed the robber, who had a grip on Butz's throat. "We're just what you take us for. The police will be looking for us in a short time."

He called to the chauffeur who had not left his position at the lever and with a jerk the car sped west in Monroe street. Only a short time was necessary to relieve Butz of his money and with the auto in motion he was thrown into a pool of water and snow about a block away from where he had been attacked.

Pedestrians who saw him plunge into the water hurried to his assistance, thinking he had fallen from the chauffeur's seat. On learning he had been robbed they attempted to follow the machine, but it disappeared in Garfield park and then turned north in Central Park avenue. The police obtained a good description of the men and both are described as being young. It is thought that they rented the car for the evening and detectives in north side stations were on the lookout for them. Up to an early hour this morning no further trace of the machine was obtained.

Butz Thinks He Was Followed.

"There was no chance for escape for me," said Butz, "for I was pounced upon before I could even stop to think what was happening. I had left my restaurant only a short time before, and had almost reached home when they got me.

"I believe they followed me from Madison street, for the car made a little spurt when the chauffeur saw that I intended crossing the roadway, and of course my progress was effectively blocked. The robbers were evidently well dressed, and both wore silk hats and white mufflers. I didn't get a good look at their faces, for the lower part was covered with silk handkerchiefs and they bundled me into the auto before I could think.

"I believe they got a trusted chauffeur to accompany them on their rounds. They handled me pretty roughly, but I'm thankful that I got off with my life, for I know they would not have hesitated in using their revolvers."

COUNTESS EULALIA IN CITY; SETTLED WITH MRS. ERNEST?

Wife of Former Portuguese Consul Here Registers Under an Assumed Name and Keeps Mission Secret.

The Countess Santa Eulalia, formerly Mrs. John B. Stetson, was in Chicago, registered at the Congress hotel under an assumed name, from Sunday afternoon until last night.

Just before she left for Philadelphia she admitted her identity, but declined to give the reason for her trip or for the mystery which surrounded it.

She was accompanied by a man and a woman, who gave the names Mr. and Miss Cummins. The countess herself signed as Mrs. Cummins. The presence of the former Portuguese consul was denied.

Rumor connected the visit with the claim against the count for $10,000 made by Mrs. William Ernest, who contended that she compiled for the count the love letters that won him his bride.

Suit for the amount was filed last September, but intimations that it had been dropped reached the public later. Mrs. Ernest, who was the wife of a country doctor, said she met the count in Chicago and that she dictated scores of love letters for him. She also insisted that she polished up his society manners. She was to be rewarded from the matrimonial booty, she averred. The count denied the bargain.

If the countess came to negotiate a settlement the outcome of the quest is unknown.

WOMAN TRIES TO KILL SELF IN OFFICE OF LONDON MAIL.

Loses Action Against Paper Following Dismissal—Sends Note to Editor of Intention and Takes Poison.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Miss Annesley Kensely, journalist, sister of Alexander Kensely, editor of the Daily Mirror and daughter of the late Edward Vaughan Kensely, Q. C., is dangerously ill in a hospital from poison.

It is said she made a dramatic attempt at suicide this afternoon in the office of the London Daily Mail.

Miss Kensely recently brought an action against the Daily Mail for alleged wrongful dismissal from the staff, but was unsuccessful. It is said she went to the office of the newspaper and sent up a note to the editor saying she was going to end her life. Before she could be reached she had taken the poison.

STEAL 67 CENTS; ARRESTED.

Boys Accused of Taking Money from Cup in Kitchen—Waiting to Rob Pedestrians.

James McMahon and John Primm, both 16 years old, are prisoners in the Evanston police station, accused of stealing 67 cents from the residence of Irving S. Karger, 1309 Elmwood avenue. The money was taken out of a tin cup in the kitchen. The boys, when arrested later, admitted they were looking for a chance to snatch a pocketbook from some woman pedestrian.

STARTLING SECRET NAVY ROW CAUSE?

Girl on Stand Is Stopped Just as She Is About to Tell the Real Reason of the Scandal.

AULD'S STORY OF AFFAIR.

Paymaster Says He Tried to Avoid Clash with Cowles, but "Wrestled" When Called Names.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The real cause of the attack of Paymaster George P. Auld upon Dr. Edward S. Cowles at the navy hop in Charlestown, which resulted in the court martial proceedings now in progress here, was suppressed at the trial today.

That there is a sensation behind the charges, that heretofore has not even been hinted at, was shown by the testimony of Miss Margaret Ames. Just as Miss Ames was about to tell the facts in the case she was stopped.

Miss Ames testified that Auld was not intoxicated when he objected to the presence of Cowles at the dance. She said he was greatly agitated, and that she knew why he was excited. She was about to tell, reluctantly, the cause of the trouble when Judge Advocate Catlin, after a whispered conference with Maj. Leonard, decided that the testimony should not be admitted.

Miss Ames was called to the stand by Catlin, judge advocate, who said:

"In reading over your testimony, Miss Ames, I find you said that on the night of the dance Paymaster Auld was not himself. What did you mean by that?"

Auld Was "Fearfully Agitated."

"I meant that he was fearfully agitated, nervous, excited."

"You did not mean to insinuate that he was under the influence of liquor?"

"No, sir."

Maj. Leonard then took the witness.

"By your answer do you mean to infer to the court that the accused was laboring under a wrong or fancied wrong on the night of the dance?"

"I don't understand your question. Won't you make it clearer?"

"You saw the accused that night. Did he seem to be suffering from a fancied wrong?"

"No."

"From what do you deduce that answer?"

"I know that he was agitated and nervous. It was quite evident."

"But do you know what was the exact exciting cause of that state?"

"At least I answer that."

Maj. Catlin offered objection to further questions, saying that Miss Ames "should not be asked to answer, if she does not know, that by an explanation," said Maj. Leonard.

"If she does not know——"

She Almost Tells the Secret.

"But I do know," interrupted Miss Ames. "It was——"

Maj. Catlin bent over, interrupting the witness, and whispered to Maj. Leonard. Then the judge advocate said:

"Counsel for the defense will withdraw that question."

"I don't want to make it appear that I was not willing to have the statement made," said Maj. Leonard.

"Suppose you say, then, that the question be changed to make it more pertinent to the matter of inquiry," suggested Catlin.

Leonard asked the witness:

"Was any incident connected with Dr. and Mrs. Cowles the exciting cause of that agitation?"

"No."

The witness then was excused, and the crowd in the courtroom settled back, disappointed.

Miss Virginia Swift, daughter of Admiral Swift, was recalled to verify her testimony of yesterday. She evoked a smile of approval from the members of the court by promptly acknowledging that the typewritten report of her evidence was absolutely correct. She had no amendment, either, to offer to her testimony. Capt. Helm cautioned her against commenting upon the case with anybody until the trial should be finished. She then was excused.

Cowles Discussed Prior to Hop.

Lieut. Prentiss Bassett, U. S. N., a stalwart young officer commanding the submarine Tarpon, was next ushered in and took his place as a witness. He was questioned by Maj. Leonard.

"Were you at the residence of Rear Admiral Swift on the Tuesday afternoon preceding the hop at the navy yard?"

"Yes."

"Who were some of the people there?"

"The admiral's daughter, Paymaster Auld, Miss Margaret Ames, and some others."

"Was Dr. Edward S. Cowles discussed there?"

"Yes."

"And was the question of sending out invitations to the navy yard hop discussed?"

"Yes."

"And was the advisability of having him invited to the hop discussed?"

"Yes."

"What was the impression of those present regarding Dr. Cowles?"

"It was unfavorable."

Albert L. Wilbur, the theatrical manager who testified yesterday, verified the report of his testimony, and answered a few more questions by Maj. Leonard.

Says $1,700 Bill Is Unjust.

"Have you paid that $1,700 bill to Dr. Cowles, Mr. Wilbur, for the treatment of your brother?"

"No."

"Why?"

"Because it is neither right nor just."

"Do you intend to pay it?"

"I should say not."

With Paymaster George P. Auld's own story of the fracas with Dr. Edward S. Cowles at the hop in Charlestown navy yard, the evidence was closed this afternoon. In an hour's testimony Auld told the whole story as he saw it at the naval dance when he championed Dorothy Hosier of Evanston, Ill., and ordered Dr. Cowles to leave.

Auld denied positively that he struck Cowles. He declared that in asking Cowles to leave the hop he believed he had the approval of the "naval set." His own friends, he declared, had agreed that Cowles was "undesirable" because of the incident when Cowles took Miss Hosier's picture and the circumstances that followed. The encounter, he swore, was provoked by Cowles, who called him a "cur."

After Auld left the stand his naval record was read by his counsel, Maj. Leonard. It

was uniformly "excellent" up to the present incident.

Court reconvenes tomorrow afternoon, when the case will be argued. The court martial of Dr. A. H. Robnett, Auld's companion, whose devotion to Miss Hesler was partly responsible for their championship of her, will commence next Monday.

Auld's Story of the Trouble.

This is Auld's story:

"Miss Ames sent for me," said Auld, "and asked me if I used her name in asking Dr. Cowles to leave the hall. I told her that I had. She said she wanted me to withdraw it, that I had been mistaken. I said: 'Miss Ames, I will go to Dr. Cowles and withdraw your name entirely.' I did this, not because I believed I had been mistaken, but purely to remove Miss Ames' name from the affair. I did not want any lady's name in the controversy."

"How long was it, after speaking to Miss Ames, that you told this to Dr. Cowles?"

"I asked Miss Ames where Dr. Cowles was. She said he was in the dressing room. I went there and said: 'Dr. Cowles, I wish to withdraw the name of Miss Ames entirely from this matter.'"

"Then what happened?"

"Dr. Cowles kept asking for an explanation. I was trying to get away from him. I didn't care to continue the discussion with him."

"Why?"

"He was very provoking, used the words 'coward' and 'cur' and others of a similar nature a number of times. I saw he was trying to provoke me, and kept trying to get away. Finally we got outside the dressing room and into the hallway. This sort of thing continued, I backing away and he trying to provoke me. He told me something about coming from South Carolina and that he would take a blow or give one."

Says He Didn't Want Altercation.

"Why did you try to get away?"

"I didn't want to get into an altercation with him. I didn't think it was the place for one."

"Tell us what happened later."

"Mrs. Cowles entered at this time and said something."

"To whom?"

"To me. I said: 'I am sorry, Mrs. Cowles, that you have been dragged into this thing. I was dealing with Dr. Cowles. I am sorry that you had to come into it.' She said that whatever affected her husband affected herself. Finally I said: 'I'll have to be excused.' I had a dance engagement upstairs. I started away, but Dr. Cowles called to me: 'You are a contemptible cur.' I turned around again and said to Dr. Cowles:

"'What in —— do you mean by that?'

"I grabbed him by the shoulders. I wrestled with him. I did not strike him. I did not hit him from the back."

"What followed?"

"We had a little wrestling match. He went on the floor."

"Did he go there himself?"

"I threw him on his back. I was on top. I got up, brushed off my trousers and walked off."

"How did you get up if you were wrestling?"

"I disengaged myself from him."

"When you went upstairs what followed?"

"The watchman came in. I heard Mrs. Cowles cry: 'Arrest him, arrest him.'"

Heard "Cur" Twice, He Says.

"How many times did you hear the word 'cur'?"

"Twice."

"Did you consider the provocation was enough to strike the doctor?"

"I endeavored to refrain from hitting him. I tried to get away, but knowing what I did about him I could not stand it any longer."

"Why did you take it upon yourself to invite Dr. Cowles to leave the ballroom? Did you know whose guest he was?"

"Dr. Ames'."

"Why didn't you speak to him or Miss Ames about it?"

"I did not see her and I had not considered that the man would have the effrontery to appear. We had just arrived and Miss Hesler was in our party. I considered his presence an insult to us."

"What did Miss Ames tell you about your action toward Dr. Cowles?"

"I understood that Miss Ames was satisfied with my plan to exclude Dr. Cowles, if her name was omitted."

"Do you know of any possible reason for Dr. Cowles' statement that you hit him on the head?"

"His head was on the floor when I got through with him."

Maj. Catlin cross examined the paymaster.

"Did Miss Hesler ever ask you to exclude Dr. Cowles from the dances?"

Miss Hesler Distressed, Auld Asserts.

"I think not."

"Did she ever ask you to protect her from his attentions?"

"No."

"Did Miss Hesler ever complain to you of the conduct of Dr. Cowles towards her?"

"I had a conversation with her about it. She was very much distressed over his conduct towards her."

The court asked a question at this point:

"Why did you not seek to have another member — members of the floor or hop committee join you in asking Dr. Cowles to leave the hall?"

"My whole idea was to avoid publicity in the thing."

"State to the court the first words you used to Dr. Cowles at the hop," said Maj. Catlin.

"I can't remember how I phrased my conversation."

"What did you say, in effect?"

"I told Dr. Cowles that I wished he would find it convenient for him not to attend this dance and not to attend any other dances at the navy yard."

Intended to Take All Blame.

"Did you not use the word 'we' in a general sense in relation to Dr. Robnett?"

"I did not use the word 'we,' as I did not want to bring any one else into it. I intended to take all the blame on myself, and I did not want Dr. Cowles to intimate to any one that anybody was standing by me."

"Did you or did you not think that Dr. Cowles would leave without a scene?" asked Maj. Leonard.

"I thought that he would."

"Did you, or did you not, believe that you were acting for your set regardless of the fact that you did, or did you not have the approbation of the set?"

"I believed that I was acting for the set, and I know that I had their approbation."

"Why did you think that Dr. Cowles would leave without a scene?" asked Catlin.

"Because if any one had come up to me at a hop, and if I thought there was any basis for such a request as I made of Dr. Cowles, I would leave and quickly."

"Without any explanation?"

"If I knew the explanation in advance, and if it was discreditable to myself, I think I would."

Court Asks About "Set."

"Paymaster Auld, please name your set," said the court.

"I am not aware of any well defined set, except what is termed the 'navy set.'"

"It doesn't seem to me," put in Capt. Helm, president of the court, "that the question is answered."

After conferring with the members of the court Capt. Helm passed up to the judge advocate this question in writing, to be propounded to Paymaster Auld:

"Then you mean your action had the knowledge and approval of naval people?"

"No, not exactly," replied Auld. "The word 'set' is vague, and I had what I considered the approbation of those who were prime movers in arranging the dance. I would not think of making all the friends I have in the navy yard responsible, either for any of the arrangements for the dance, or for any incidents that occurred at the dance."

Maj. Leonard submitted as evidence the official records of Paymaster Auld's eight years of service in the navy. They were the regular official efficiency reports from officers under whose command he served. Every mark during the entire period was excellent and showed that his official record has been of the highest character.

It was stated after adjournment that Maj. Henry Leonard and Capt. Herbert J. Hirshinger, counsel for Passed Assistant Surgeon Ansey H. Robnett, and Maj. A. W. Catlin, the judge advocate, were agreed on postponing that case until next Monday, so as to permit of time for preparation.

Robnett is to be arraigned on one charge of conduct unbecoming an officer, the charge being supported by two specifications. One alleges that he aided and abetted Paymaster Auld in the first incident, the accosting of Dr. Cowles at the hop, by accompanying him; the other regarding the alleged statements made to Dr. Cowles over the telephone in connection with the request for the return of the photo of Miss Hesler.

PRICES TOO HIGH? WE'RE TOO CHOICE

This Is What Stockman, Economist, and Preacher Tell at Commerce Luncheon.

PEOPLE WANT LUXURIES.

Criticism of the Packers and Big Business Men Foolish, Say the Speakers.

The "real" reason for the increases in prices has been discovered. It is the limitless appetite of the American citizen for porterhouse steaks, fine clothes, and good living generally.

The ways and means committeemen of the Chicago Association of Commerce heard this yesterday during their luncheon at the Great Northern hotel from the lips of President J. W. Moore of the live stock exchange, Prof. J. Laurence Laughlin of the department of economics, University of Chicago, and the Rev. Joseph A. Milburn, pastor of Plymouth Congregational church.

The arguments of the three speakers differed in leading to this, but the conclusions were the same.

Mr. Moore first frankly avowed that he desired "to cultivate a more fraternal feeling between the packer and the producer and consumer." He disowned blood relationship with any packer, possession of enough money to own stock in the beef trust, or being asked to represent the packing interests at the luncheon.

Calls Attacks on Packers Unjust.

He said he thought many attacks on the stockyards interests unjust, and summed up about as follows:

"We are passing through a period of wonderful extravagance. Even the housewife doesn't know how to do the things she used to do.

"The one factor that towers over everything else is the shortage that we experience in this country," he said. "On Jan. 1, 1910, the meat animals of this country were 8,465,000 short of the supply one year before, and the price was $80,000,000 short of the average of the preceding four years. Hogs alone were 6,455,000 short of the supply a year ago. Take that in conjunction with the fact that there was an immigration of 850,000 to 1,000,000, all big husky meat eaters, who devoured our meat. Our increasing population, in connection with that, has created this shortage.

Packers Handle Only Half.

"I find in Chicago that the packers handle less than 50 per cent of the cattle brought in. Shipments out of Chicago by the independent dealers amount to 43 and as high as 44.6 per cent of the receipts. About five concerns employ about fifty buyers, and on the other hand there are 155 independent concerns operating at the yards. Is it possible that the packers with a mere handful of buyers can get cattle just as they want to? When they come to sell that meat they have the same competition.

"The price of beef as distributed by these packers is not extremely high. I received a report from Swift the other day for four weeks ending Jan. 22, and the average price of beef at Chicago that he sold was $8.14 a hundred. At Detroit, one of the strong centers where they threaten to boycott this meat and not eat it, it was $8.19, and at Pittsburg it was $8.37. At the corresponding time a year ago in Chicago it was $8.75; Detroit was $7.75, a difference of .44 of a cent, not quite ½ cent; and Pittsburg, $8.01, or a difference of a little over ¼ of a cent a pound."

Gold Production Partly to Blame.

Prof. Laughlin blamed the increased production of gold to some extent for the high prices, and the tariff of 1897 as well.

"The relationship between the price of goods and gold is a simple one," said he. "If gold goes up in value prices go down, and vice versa. The United States bureau of labor figures state that for 1908, as against 1890, in the United States, taking 208 commodities, the price has risen from 112, relatively to the figure of 100 as a base, to 122.8, or about 9 per cent. These are wholesale prices and official figures. Thirty-six commodities out of the 203 have not fallen in price since 1890 to 1908.

"I say advisedly that the high tariff of 1897 was more responsible for the rise of prices than people at first supposed. The increase of retail prices between 1890 and 1908 has been nearly 18 per cent. On one side are the producers, more or less organized, and on the other side are the unions, which have organized and put up the rate of wages, which cause an increased constant production of all commodities. Between these, the devil, and the deep sea is the poor, helpless, innocent, unorganized consumer."

Americans Are Too Particular.

The Rev. Mr. Milburn unhesitatingly stated that "the increasing criticalness of the taste of the American people" must be blamed for conditions, and he disparaged attacks on big men of finance and business, "because, after all, they are the men who have made industrial America." To his mind the increasing taste called for increasing expense.

"Ten years ago few men here would object to eating the flank or round of beef," he said. "Now people object to eating the round or rump and want a porterhouse steak. Suppose there are ten porterhouse steaks and eleven men asking for them. You will get a bigger price won't you? Well, that's the way it is in America today. The American people are insisting that they shall eat better, dress better, live better, and be housed better from day to day, and if you want that you must pay for it.

"The high prices are good for this reason—they will set us back a little bit to the cultivation of simplicity of taste and life. If beef is too high, let us go on without beef for awhile. If cost of clothing is too high, let us wear the old suit just a little while longer. I have little sympathy for this much abused consumer.

"I say that the thing for the American citizen to do is to control his stomach, to learn to dominate his flesh in a beautiful and lawful way."

GILBERT ESTATE IS IN STOCKS

Inventory of Late Banker's Will Gives $500,000 as Value of His Holdings.

Inventory of the will of the late James Harris Gilbert, former president of the Metropolitan Trust and Savings bank, was approved by Judge Cutting in the Probate court yesterday. The property is personal, the only real estate being a lot in Oakwoods cemetery. Ella K. Gilbert, the widow, is made executrix of the estate. It is estimated the shares of bank stock listed amount to $500,000, while a number of shares of stock in Alaska mining enterprises are given as of doubtful value.

RIVERS TO GET $600,000,000.

Future Plans of Improvement of Waterways Given in Bill Provide for Enormous Amount of Work.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Although the specific appropriations in river and harbor bill, which is to be reported next week, will total only $30,000,000, the measure will indirectly provide for projects which will cost $600,000,000. It is proposed to spend $80,00,000 in the improvement of the lower Mississippi and $63,000,000 on the Ohio river.

Badger Buttermakers Elect.

Fond du Lac, Wis., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The Wisconsin Buttermakers' association elected officers today as follows: President, G. F. Sauer, East Troy; vice president, A. G. Puerner, Gays Mills; secretary, G. H. Benkendorf, Madison; treasurer, S. B. Cook, Bloomer; executive committee, O. B. Cornish, Fort Atkinson; J. G. Moore, Madison; and T. W. Grell, Johnson's Creek.

Navy Men Concerned in Row Over a Girl's Picture.

DR. EDWARD J. COWLES

GEORGE P. AULD

Paymaster Auld is the defendant in the naval court martial at Charlestown navyyard which grew out of Dr. Cowles' theft of a picture of Miss Dorothy Hesler of Evanston, Ill., and Paymaster Auld's attempt to eject Dr. Cowles from a dance.

PACKERS FAIL FOR $37,000,000

Mexican National Co. to Continue Operating Under Receiver.

DUE TO BANK SUSPENSION.

Tying Up of Resources Led to Action, Says Lawyer.

New York, Feb. 2.—The Mexican National Packing company, a New Jersey corporation controlled by English investors operating a string of slaughter houses and packing houses in Mexico under concessions from the Mexican government, failed today with liabilities, including stock, of approximately $37,000,000.

The assets were not announced, but it is estimated that they are in excess of the liabilities. The company will continue to operate its plants as usual. Henry De Kay was appointed receiver by Judge Lanning in the United States Circuit court in New Jersey this afternoon.

Due to Bank Suspension.

Samuel Untermyer, as counsel representing English bankers and other investors, issued the following statement tonight:

"The appointment of a receiver for the Mexican National Packing company is due to the temporary tying up of a large amount of the company's resources through the suspension of the United States Banking company of Mexico City. We are advised that the packing company had upward of $500,000 gold to its credit in the United States Banking company at the time of the bank's suspension.

"The tying up of the packing company's immediate resources and the uncertainty as to the possible action that might be taken led to the appointment of a receiver to conserve the assets until a settled course can be pursued. The company continues its operations and all of its plants, branches, cold stores, and shops are ready as usual, maintaining its volume and supplying the people of Mexico with their meat products; and it is not expected that these operations will be interfered with in any way. Arrangements were under way in England for furnishing the company with a large amount of additional capital at the time of the suspension of the bank. These arrangements will proceed.

"The application for the appointment of the receiver was supported by the English interests, representing 80 per cent of the bonds, over two-thirds of the stock, and the bulk of the floating debt."

Among the concessions held by the company is an exclusive right to slaughter cattle in Mexico City until 1926. Its share capital is $22,500,000, and it has a bonded debt secured by mortgage of about $12,500,000, and a floating debt of about $2,000,000, of which, however, only about $300,000 is due.

BANKERS BLAME PACKERS.

Mexico City, Mex., Feb. 2.—News of the appointment of a receiver for the Mexican National Packing company was conveyed to Henry De Kay, receiver, and H. P. Chesley, general manager of the company in Mexico, tonight. Both refuse to make any comment.

The relations between the packing company and the United States Banking company, the suspension of which is alleged in the action in New Jersey to have been responsible for the receivership, is reported here to be exactly the reverse of those there set forth.

The cause of the suspension of the banking company was alleged by its directors to have been due to the failure of the Packing company to meet a debt of $2,000,000 gold when payment became due. This debt, it was said, had been incurred through the honoring by the bank of drafts drawn on London, which were alleged to have been unprotected there.

SIX SCHOOLS RECEIVE GIFTS FROM ROCKEFELLER.

Five Colleges and a University Latest to Be Favored by the General Education Board.

New York, Feb. 2.—Five colleges and a university were the recipients of gifts and appropriations made by the Rockefeller fund of the general education board. The following are the favored institutions:

Williams college, Williamstown, Mass., gift of $100,000 on condition that the college raise an endowment of $1,000,000.

Wesleyan university, Middletown, Conn., $100,000 toward $1,000,000.

Cornell college, Mount Vernon, Ia., $50,000 toward $200,000.

Georgetown college, Georgetown, Ky., $25,000 toward $100,000.

Women's college in Brown university, Providence, R. I., $50,000 toward $200,000.

Salem college (for women), Winston-Salem, N. C., $75,000 toward $300,000.

Pennsylvania Given $100,000.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 2.—Announcement is made by the trustees of the University of Pennsylvania that a gift of $100,000 has been received for a chair in the medical department of the institution.

DR. JAMES B. ANGELL IS ILL.

President Emeritus of Michigan University Ordered South by Physician to Avoid the Cold.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Dr. James B. Angell, president emeritus of the University of Michigan, today announced to his class in international law that he would be unable to meet them during the next semester, as he had been ordered south by his physician. He will leave for Florida next Tuesday. Dr. Angell has been suffering from bronchial trouble.

EXPRESS MERGER UNDER WAY

American Buys Southern Pacific's Wells-Fargo Stock Holdings.

PRICE AROUND $200 SHARE.

Railroad's Deal in Line with Policy of New Management.

New York, Feb. 2.—It was said in authoritative circles today that the American Express company has purchased the Southern Pacific railroad company's holdings of stock in Wells, Fargo & Co., which is taken to indicate that a merger of the two express companies is under way.

Although the Southern Pacific holdings in the Wells-Fargo—about 45,900 shares—do not represent stock control of that concern, the remainder of the shares, outside of those held by the Harriman estate, are so widely distributed that the block easily could swing the balance of power.

Price Near $200 a Share.

The price paid is said to have been in the neighborhood of $200 a share, a handsome profit for the railroad on the original investment. This, it is said, prompted the sale of the stock which was acquired by the railroad during the Harriman régime.

The Southern Pacific's decision to sell the stock is in line with the policy of the new management of the road to avoid stock market manipulation and confine itself strictly to railroad management. James C. Fargo, president of the American Express company, and Robert S. Lovett, president of the Southern Pacific, declined to talk about the reported purchase.

Motor Car Companies Merged.

Hartford, Conn., Feb. 2.—Announcement was made today by Henry W. Nuckols, vice president and general manager, that the Columbia Motor Car company has become a part of the United States Motor company, a $16,000,000 holding corporation which absorbs at the same time the three Maxwell-Briscoe plants. The formation of the great holding company is due to the combination of forces of the stockholders of the Columbia company.

The basis of the combine is purely that of a holding company. Each of the individual companies will maintain its stock outstanding, but this stock will be turned in by its present holders and exchanged for stock of the United States Motor company.

By securing control of the Wells, Fargo & Co. express the American adds to its territory the entire Harriman system of railways west of Omaha.

A 6,000 Mile Battery

Remarkable Guarantee Made By a Buffalo Man.

The great drawback to the general use of the "electric" vehicle has heretofore been battery troubles.

Batteries are expensive, so expensive, indeed, that the cost of their replacement would often outweigh the greater convenience, cleanliness and general utility of the "Electric" over the gas-car.

F. A. Babcock, of Buffalo, and whose cars bear his name, has solved this problem by producing a battery for "electric" cars which he guarantees for 6,000 miles. Such a guarantee by so responsible a manufacturer eliminates this bugbear which has, we presume, prevented many from buying an "electric" carriage heretofore.

While this announcement is the most sensational of any made by the "Electric" manufacturers for 1910, yet it is only one of the many features which will appeal to anyone contemplating the purchase of an "electric" carriage.

The 1910 models are on exhibition at the new Babcock "Electric" garage, Grand boulevard and Thirty-ninth street, and it will well repay you to look them over.

Send two-cent postage stamp for the Artistic 1910 Babcock Catalogue, written by Elbert Hubbard, of special Roycroft Design, and printed at the Roycroft Printerie.

"BABCOCK" AT AUTO SHOW.

Be sure to see the speedy Babcock at the Auto Show next week in Section G 2, Main Floor, Coliseum. Men like it because it is speedy and can climb any hill as fast as a gas car. Women like it because it is so elegant and clean and safe and always comes home on its own power.

BROKER KILLS SELF IN RIVER; ESCAPED FROM ASYLUM CELL.

Princeton Graduate Who Lost Mind Over Religion Is Found by Attendants with Grappling Hooks.

New York, Feb. 2.—Hospital attendants with grappling irons discovered a tragedy in the East river this afternoon. Henry Pennington Toler, a Princeton graduate, former Wall street broker, and Christian Scientist, had eluded the guards on Ward's island, where he had been confined in an insane asylum since July, and plunged into the river.

Toler became violently insane last summer after controversies with factions in the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in this city. For a time he was a supporter of Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, the deposed first reader, but subsequently he turned against her.

Christian Science so interested Toler that he abandoned his brokerage business several years ago, gave much of his money to the church, and finally became a first reader. Then he became possessed of the hallucination that the upper part of Harlem belonged to him and Mary Baker G. Eddy.

He organized a movement to recover property valued at $3,000,000,000 for the purpose of establishing a new Jerusalem.

Settlement Wants a Typewriter.

An appeal for a second hand typewriter machine was sent out yesterday by the South Deering Neighborhood center, 10441 Hoxie avenue. Stenography and typewriting are taught at the center in night classes and the machine is needed for students.

36,000,000 EGGS IN ONE STOREHOUSE

New Jersey Grand Jury Hears Startling Facts About "Held" Edibles.

MAY INDICT THE OWNERS

Wiley Says Hens Are Aiding Price Boosters with Smaller Products.

New York, Feb. 2.—There are 36,000,000 eggs—enough to provide eight eggs apiece for every man, woman, and child in greater New York City—in one cold storage warehouse in Jersey City, according to the information placed before the Hudson county (N. J.) grand jury today in its investigation of the big packing and other concerns which maintain extensive warehouses. The eggs have been there since last March, it was learned, with 100,000 pounds of poultry, stored since April last.

Witnesses from Swift & Co.'s cold storage plant in Jersey City were before the grand jury today, but little valuable information was elicited.

The investigation is directed against the cold storage concerns as a basis for determining the cause of the high cost of meats and other necessities. Prosecutor Garven said today that if he can find sufficient evidence he will advise the grand jury to indict those responsible for holding meat, eggs, and other foodstuffs in storage.

Hens Laying Small Eggs.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley intimated at a public food hearing today that the American hen is in league with the boosters of the cost of living by laying eggs which are too small. But the chief of the bureau of chemistry declared it is not the hen's fault, as she was being bred for commercial purposes to lay smaller eggs and more of them.

The little discourse on the capacity of a hen came out as a side issue to a discussion on what the size of a loaf of bread should be. Dr. Wiley, announcing that he appeared as plain "Citizen Wiley," maintained that the bakers of the District of Columbia should be compelled to sell a loaf of uniform weight, containing not more than 35 per cent moisture and proving up to a certain degree of nutriment.

Says Farmers Raise Prices.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—At a meeting of the Wisconsin state board of agriculture today, B. K. Dickinson, secretary of the Illinois state board of agriculture, spoke on the high cost of living.

"It is amusing," he said, "to see our law makers at Washington asking for an investigation of the high cost of living, while it is regulated by supply and demand. A few years ago wheat sold at from 40 to 60 cents a bushel and corn from 12½ to 20 cents a bushel. Such a condition was calculated to drive the best blood of the country to the cities to seek relief from such financial oppression. The trouble does not all rest with the monopolies, for the farmer is receiving $8 to $9 per 100 pounds for hogs and meat is selling at the same ratio."

Ohio Legislators Aid Inquiry.

Columbus, O., Feb. 2.—The Ohio house of representatives today agreed to reconsider the vote whereby it killed the bill making an appropriation of $5,000 for the expenses of the committee making the investigation into the high price of foodstuffs. An amendment was passed reducing the appropriation from $5,000 to $2,500 and the bill was adopted.

Denies Farmer Gets Profits.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—That the dairymen of northern Ohio are not getting a fair share of the price paid by the consumer of milk is the assertion of Prof. George M. Colton of Hiram college. Some farmers are producing and selling milk at a bare profit, while others are selling at a loss, he asserts. The largest local dairy company, he says, makes a profit of 130 per cent.

Meat Boycott in Knoxville.

Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 2.—The executive board of the Anti-Exorbitant Price association today ordered a boycott on meat, to continue indefinitely. The appeal to boycott is addressed to the more than 2,500 working people of the city.

Predicts an Early Panic.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 2.—Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale university today said that a business panic, possibly more serious than the one of 1907, will soon come if there is not an immediate change in the present situation. He laid the rising prices to the influx of gold and declared that an increase in interest rates alone would check speculation and its inevitable results.

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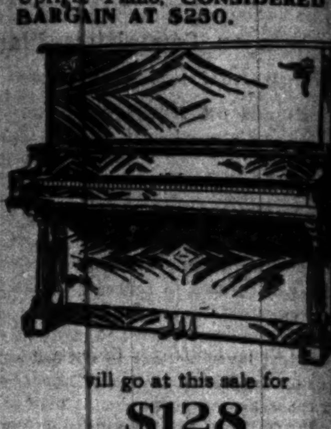

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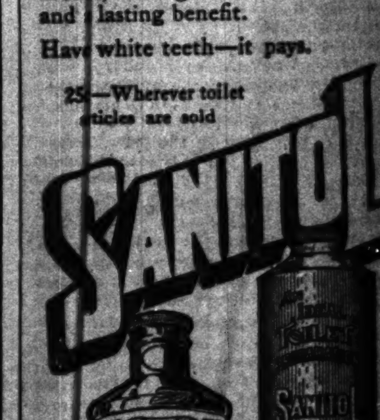

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STRIVE TO FINISH INQUIRY ON GRAFT

Grand Jurors, Nearly Swamped by Evidence, Will Meet at Night.

SCOPE OF SEARCH WIDE.

Free Rein Given Inquisitors; They Get Much Data on City Deals.

The grand jury and the state's attorney's office came to an acute realization yesterday of the shortness of the time in which the great mass of evidence regarding graft in city departments under investigation must be sifted out. The jurors decided to make a strenuous effort to clean up the work on hand and voted to hold evening sessions beginning tonight. The jury will adjourn Saturday evening.

Free rein was given the body and it opened lines of inquiry into every department of municipal activity, going far beyond the investigations started by the state's attorney's office, the Merriam commission, and civic associations. State's Attorney Wayman invited all citizens knowing anything of graft to bring in the evidence.

Twenty-five witnesses will be subpœnaed today to tell what they know of various transactions in which the city was concerned, and books and records of commercial firms may be impounded and taken to the Criminal Court building. Among these records are said to be price lists which will indicate how the city has been imposed upon in its purchases.

Witnesses who are expected to throw light on the M. H. McGovern shale rock payment and on purchases of castings from the T. A. Cummings Foundry company are conspicuous among those called for today.

Find Night Sessions Imperative.

This army of witnesses and library of evidence nearly overwhelmed the grand jurors. Foreman Noble said such a mass of documentary evidence was coming in that night sessions were imperative.

"We thought of holding a session tonight," he said last evening, "but several of the members of the jury had engagements. We probably will hold a session tomorrow evening and Friday evening as well. We can hear witnesses during the remaining days and consider the documentary part at night."

State's Attorney Wayman refused to discuss the work of the grand jury except to repeat his invitation of the day before and say that every witness who could tell anything of municipal graft was welcome at the grand jury chamber and the state's attorney's office and would find ready hearers.

While witnesses before the grand jury during the day were questioned especially as to knowledge they might have concerning the shale rock and Cummings' graft charges, the coal contracts, police graft, and city purchases and contracts of all sorts were inquired about.

Cole and Singleton Appear.

George E. Cole, chairman, and Shelby M. Singleton, secretary of the Citizens' association appeared in response to subpœnas. After a conference with assistant state's attorneys they were allowed to go with the understanding they would answer a call to come before the grand jury by telephone when wanted. They assured the prosecutor's representatives they would furnish the names of their investigators and bases of their charges of graft in certain municipal activities.

Secretary Bell of the Merriam commission was a witness. He carried a bundle of documents before the inquisitors and was questioned for some time. Another witness who is supposed to have testified directly concerning the shale rock scandal was Charles Carpenter, an engineer employed by the commission.

Mr. Carpenter is the man who made the test borings under orders of Expert Welton, whose report to the commission was to the effect that the city had paid out some $46,000 for excavation of shale rock that never existed in section "D" of the Lawrence avenue sewer. The witness was questioned for the greater part of an hour just previous to adjournment of the grand jury at 5 o'clock.

McGovern Man a Witness.

Another witness who was able to give the jury first hand information concerning the shale rock affair was Jesse Gaither, formerly a foreman for the McGovern contracting firm, which excavated the sewer. Gaither was one of the witnesses who gave evidence which led to the eleven indictments returned last week in connection with the contract for building section "N" of the Lawrence avenue sewer. It is said he worked as a foreman on all of the sewer work.

Gaither was discharged several weeks ago by McGovern. After he had finished giving testimony in the inquisitorial chamber he was taken to Assistant State's Attorney Marshall's office, where he was further interrogated. He is said to have furnished the grand jury not only with facts concerning the nature of the excavation work on section "D," but with the names of fellow workmen who may be called as witnesses.

Except for J. Frank Murphy, contract clerk in the office of Commissioner of Public Works Hanberg, the other witnesses before the grand jury were newspaper men. Murphy appeared with a bundle of papers and remained only a short time.

Tells of Long Investigation.

Walter C. Howey, who investigated the charges of grafts in many departments for months, was the principal witness and was questioned for more than an hour. He investigated not only the shale rock case and purchases made from the Cummings Foundry company, but coal contracts with their "double barreled" specifications for the benefit of favored contractors; the purchase of lumber for the city, and other city supplies.

He also, it is known, investigated prices of commodities as offered for sale to the general public and found them listed in many cases much cheaper than the prices at which they were sold to the city. He watched tests of fuel bought for the city pumping stations and got information from city employés to the effect that such tests often were made so as to allow poor grades furnished by favored contractors to pass muster.

Other Newspaper Men Testify.

John D. Sherman, associate editor of the Inter Ocean, who wrote many of the graft stories that have appeared in that newspaper, was detained in the grand jury room for some time. Jay Cairns, a reporter for the same newspaper, appeared with the files of the paper for the last two months. The files of the paper were retained as evidence.

R. R. Jones, William E. Moore, and H. M. Lytle were other witnesses. Mr. Lytle investigated sewer graft charges.

The list of witnesses asked to be called today for examination was the subject of much comment last evening, especially four men who are said to be included and who know something of the Cummings castings purchases. These men are O. H. Davison of the Davison Foundry company; Joseph Malone, James Flynn, storekeeper at the water works repair plant; and Richard Powers, assistant to Flynn.

It was said neither F. A. Miller, superintendent of the shops, nor Foreman Saunders, was to be subpœnaed.

The Davison company had the contract to furnish the city castings under the Dunne administration and the head of the company it is expected will be questioned concerning the character of the iron sold by his successor. Malone is said to have purchased castings of the sort used by the city from the Cummings company at a lower price than the city paid.

Know How Castings Were Bought.

Flynn and Powers probably will be interrogated concerning the character of the castings furnished the city and any arrangements they may know concerning the way they were purchased. Flynn has been before the Merriam commission, where he said that, following Supt. Miller's instructions, the Cummings castings were not weighed.

Among the newspaper witnesses who testified yesterday, Howey, Lytle, and Cairns have been asked to tell more of their knowledge of graft to the grand jury today. G. W. Hinman is also expected to be a witness. A subpœna was issued for him on Tuesday, but he was in Washington.

It is likely that members of the Merriam commission may be called this morning.

In addition to the work of the grand jury in the unearthing of the alleged graft frauds, State's Attorney Wayman and his assistants are delving into the municipal irregularities. Important information is said to have been secured. It is declared that several minor city hall officials have communicated with the state's attorney and promised to reveal important facts if assured of immunity.

Shale Rock Case in Doubt.

There will be little surprise among those who have followed the graft investigation closely if there are no indictments in the shale rock cases. The divergent opinions of engineers and geologists as to what constitutes shale rock, it is declared, may leave a loophole for the contractor and the city officials who are involved.

In addition to the graft inquiry yesterday the grand jury found time to take up twenty docket cases, and returns were made in these minor cases during the afternoon.

The presence of Capt. Stephen Wood, head of the detective bureau, and Capt. William Cudmore of the Twenty-second street police station in the grand jury room gave rise to the report that the red light district was being made the subject of investigation.

Merriam Commission Sits Today.

The Merriam commission will proceed at 10 o'clock this morning with a public inquiry into the quality of the coal delivered to pumping stations and electric light plants under contract. Investigators, H. E. Fleming, and his assistants have been working for months gathering up this data, and much documentary evidence has been obtained, which it is declared will prove that the coal delivered was not of the kind which the city contracted for and did not fulfill the specifications.

Commissioner of Public Works Hanberg and City Engineer Ericson will appear before the committee, and also the engineers from the pumping stations, and they will be asked to explain the discrepancies. There are twelve coal companies supplying coal to the fourteen pumping stations and electric light plants under contract.

Ald. Merriam is drafting a report of the commissions findings in its investigation of the office of City Business Agent William A. Coleman, which will be ready for action on the part of the commission by Saturday. If the commission concurs in this report it may go to the city council Monday night.

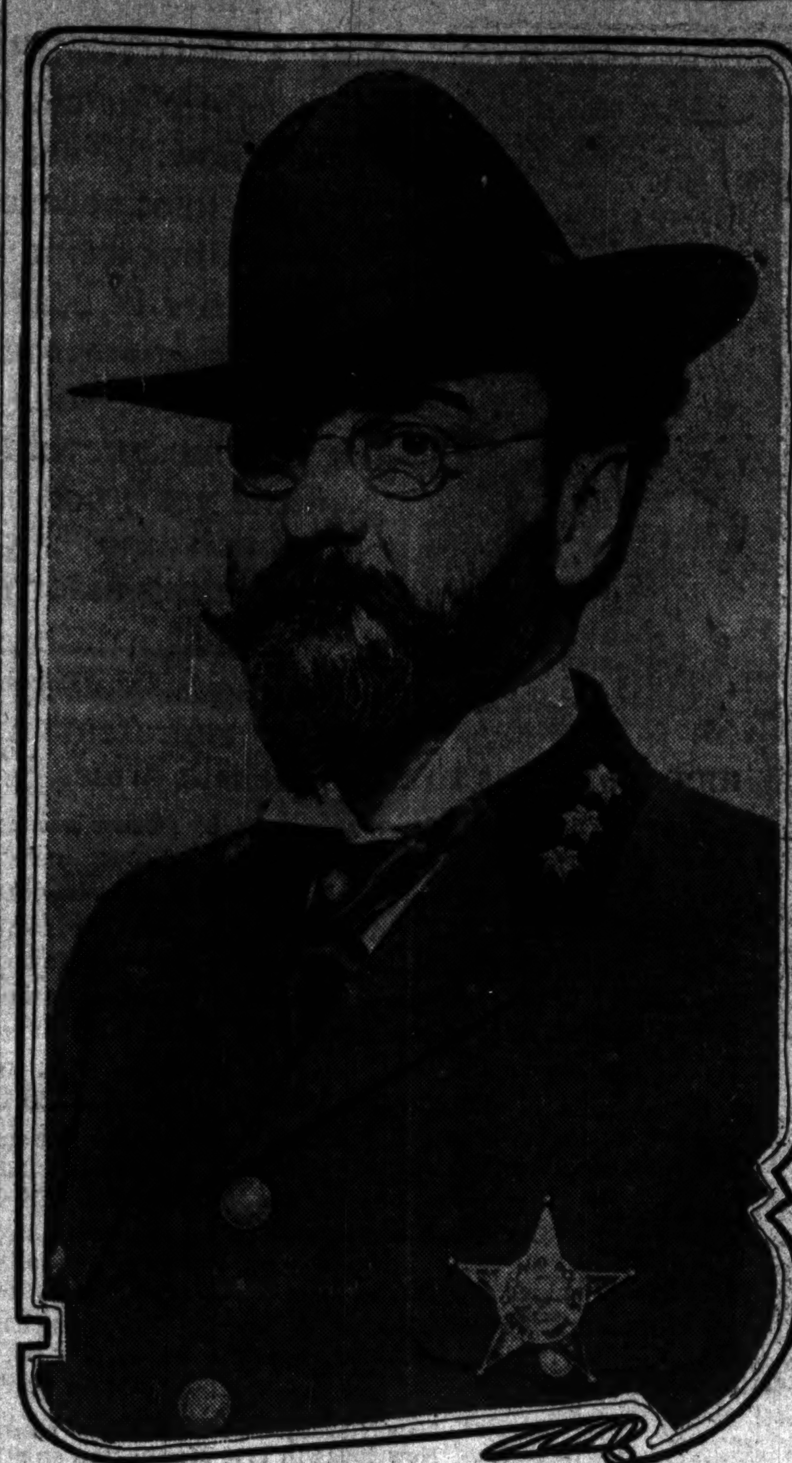
Deny Dissension in Commission.

Reports that there is dissension in the ranks of the commission were denied by Ald. Merriam and Attorney Walter L. Fisher. The reports stated that some of the members of the commission have taken exception to the manner in which Mr. Fisher is questioning witnesses at the public hearings.

"I don't know anything about any dissension in our ranks, and this is the first I have heard of it," said Ald. Merriam.

"There is no truth in the report," said Mr. Fisher. "No one, as far as I know, has taken exception to anything that I have done or left undone."

Chief Sets Styles for His Officers.



CHIEF STEWARD WEARING THE NEW MILITARY POLICE HAT

[From a photograph taken for THE TRIBUNE.]

Commanding officers of the police department are beginning to feel the effects of having a military gentleman as their chief. Col. Le Roy T. Steward has adopted for them a new style of hat to wear when they are not on regular duty. It is black, of the fedora style, and decidedly military. This is the winter hat. The summer style is of a lighter weight and is tan in color.

It is the chief's intention that the officers shall wear these hats when they are not on regular duty—that is, when they are going about the city on other than police business. Up to now there has been no regulation on headgear in this respect, but it is in keeping with a general desire on the part of Chief Steward that his men shall dress in uniform as much as possible.

The accompanying picture of Col. Steward illustrates the new headpiece.

COUNT WINS CHICAGO BRIDE

Mrs. E. Hardy, Divorced Here, Now Countess von Hardenberg

WED IN PALO ALTO JAN. 10.

Children and Former Husband Go to Live in California, Too.

Announcement of the marriage in Palo Alto, Cal., of Mrs. Emily Hardy, divorced wife of Carlos S. Hardy, former general counsel of the board of control of the Knights of Pythias, and Count William Lelonee von Hardenberg has been received in Chicago by friends of the former Mrs. Hardy. The wedding took place on Jan. 10.

Soon after the receipt of the news of the wedding Mr. Hardy and his children left Chicago for San Francisco, going by way of New Orleans. Before departing Miss Etheline Hardy, the oldest daughter, said to friends:

"Mamma has married a rich count and we are going to California to make our home with her. Papa intends to go into business in California."

Mr. Hardy told acquaintances that business took him to San Francisco and that he intends to locate there. The flat he occupied at 815 Wilson avenue has been closed, and at his office, 181 La Salle street, it was said he had left Chicago for New Orleans, from where he will go to California.

Hardy Winds Up Business in Chicago.

He wound up his business affairs, saying that he would not be back in Chicago for several months, when he intended to pack his furniture and send it west.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy were divorced here in October, 1908. The bill was filed by Mrs. Hardy, who alleged desertion, but the motive behind the filing of the suit was a disagreement over theosophy. Mr. Hardy was deeply interested in the subject and had a large library of books dealing with it. He is said to have left his wife because he believed that her soul and his were on different planes and not mated.

After the decree was granted three of the children lived with the father and three with the mother. Mrs. Hardy, with the children awarded her, went to California to live and a few months later met Count von Hardenberg.

Count Makes Fortune in Klondike.

She was back in Chicago once afterward, when one of the children left with the father was ill, but as soon as the child recovered she returned to the coast.

Count von Hardenberg came to this country from Germany several years ago. During the gold rush to the Klondike he went to that district and staked some claims that have since made him wealthy. He is one of the officers of a mining company operating in Alaska and also has an income from a family estate in Germany.

LOSES GOOD JOB; TRIES TO DIE.

Former Aid of T. P. Shonts Shoots Himself in Springfield, Ill., Hotel.

Frederick A. Pearne, a division agent of the Chicago and Alton railroad, attempted suicide yesterday in a hotel at Springfield. He shot himself twice over the heart, and was taken to St. John's hospital in a critical condition.

Despondency over altered conditions of life is given as the cause. Pearne formerly held a good position with the Chicago and Great Western railroad, given him by T. P. Shonts. This he lost when Shonts left the road.

Pearne lived with his wife and stepson at 22 West Goethe street. Mrs. Pearne's eyesight is almost gone, and this may have contributed to his despondency.

HONOR FOR MOODY'S MEMORY.

Bible Institute to Dedicate New Dormitory and Gymnasium Building Next Saturday.

"Founder's day," the birthday of the late Dwight L. Moody, will be celebrated at Moody Bible institute Saturday by the formal dedication of the new $75,000 dormitory and gymnasium at 152 Institute place.

A reception and luncheon will precede the dedication. Henry P. Crowell will preside at the exercises. Addresses will be made by Judge McKenzie Cleland, several clergymen, and members of the institute faculty.

The six story building is the first of three large additions to the institute. Work on a woman's building, to cost $150,000, will be started in the spring, and next year a building for offices, auditorium, and class rooms will be started.

RAILROAD TO ACT DESPITE WAYMAN

Western Indiana Attorneys Not Through with Land Fraud Charges.

RIDICULE "SLUSH" FUND.

Officials Point Out That They Originated the Whole Investigation.

State's Attorney Wayman yesterday refused to present to the grand jury the evidence and charges of the Western Indiana railroad against its former president, Benjamin Thomas, John C. Fetzer, and Charles R. Kappes, its real estate agent. Walter L. Fisher, one of the attorneys for the road, said the case would be pushed despite the action of the state's attorney.

Mr. Wayman insisted that there should be a preliminary hearing before the Municipal court on a sworn complaint made by the officers of the company. Mr. Fisher declined to state yet whether the further proceedings would be along this line or whether he would make another effort to get the matter before the February grand jury.

No sooner had Mr. Wayman's decision become known than anonymous charges were made, apparently in the interest of Thomas, Fetzer, and Kappes, that the money alleged to have been taken by them, amounting to nearly $1,000,000, was in reality a huge "slush" fund, the use of which the directors were conversant with. The anonymous purveyors of this information declared that the secrets of this "slush" fund would be bared when the civil suit came up for trial.

This fund was to have been expended to grease the way for bill 777 in the legislature, which validated the $50,000,000 bonds of the Western Indiana, and for "fixing" taxes recently reduced by the board of equalization, and for procuring certain "favors" from the city council.

Sees Added Reason for Inquiry.

When Mr. Fisher was told about these statements, he remarked:

"That is interesting and, if true, it is all the more reason, it seems to me, why the state's attorney should present the matter to the grand jury."

Mr. Fisher and the other attorneys for the railroad company were advised in a letter written to them by Mr. Wayman Monday night that he did not consider the evidence proper matter to lay before the grand jury at this time. He suggested that the company officials swear out a complaint before the Municipal court and have a preliminary hearing. If the court should deem the evidence sufficiently strong to warrant the attention of the grand jury it would bind the defendants over and the case would be transferred to the Criminal court.

To this ruling of the state's attorney Mr. Fisher took exception and replied in a letter which was delivered to Mr. Wayman yesterday morning. Mr. Fisher here stated the reasons why he believed the evidence which was taken before Assistant State's Attorneys Marshall and Arnold warranted immediate action by the grand jury and why he disagreed with the proposition of taking it before the Municipal court.

Wayman Issues a Statement.

To this letter he received no official reply, but in the afternoon Mr. Wayman gave out the following statement relative to his position in the matter:

"After consideration of the charges made by the Chicago and Western Indiana railroad company against certain defendants, and the evidence presented, I decided the day before yesterday to proceed in this case by way of a preliminary hearing in the Municipal court. At that time I advised the Western Indiana railroad company that this office was ready to proceed with the hearing as soon as some one representing the complaining witness signed and swore to the statement in the Municipal court, in accordance with the statutes. They have not yet sworn to the complaint."

To this statement of the state's attorney Mr. Fisher replied last evening:

"We shall continue to push this case against Thomas, Fetzer, and Kappes, but I cannot say just what method we will pursue. Of course, in view of Mr. Wayman's attitude and from the further fact that he has called so many witnesses in the city cases there would be no opportunity for us to go before the January grand jury, particularly as it has only three days more to sit."

Satisfied with the Statement?

"Are you satisfied with Mr. Wayman's explanation in his statement?" he was asked.

His reply was in the form of a counter question:

"Does it seem satisfying to you?" He continued:

"At the state's attorney's request we produced a large number of witnesses. Having concluded our part in the matter, the case rested with the state's attorney, and it rested there several days. Then, on the third day of the last week, the grand jury was to be in session, we are notified that the matter will not be taken up.

"A citizen cannot initiate any proceedings before the grand jury, and the only way that body can receive testimony which the state's attorney does not wish to present, is for the grand jury itself to invite it. Of course the state's attorney has so much work cut out for the present grand jurors that they probably will have no time for anything else."

Officials Repudiate "Slush" Story.

President E. B. Pryor and F. A. Delano, a director of the Western Indiana road, said the "slush" fund story was absurd. They pointed to the fact that the exposure of the real estate manipulations had been made by the railroad of its own accord.

"The 'slush' fund story has been brought forward several times," Mr. Delano said, "but we have been absolutely straightforward in this entire matter after making a thorough investigation. We hardly would have brought the case forward and asked for an investigation if we had had anything to cover up."

CALLED SLAVE BY HUSBAND, WIFE SEEKS HER FREEDOM.

Mrs. Bertha Rubin Alleges She Also Was Beaten by Her Spouse, an Overall Manufacturer.

Cruelty is the ground given by Mrs. Bertha Rubin for divorce from her husband, Oscar Rubin, a partner in the overall manufacturing firm of Rubin Bros. The bill was filed yesterday in the Superior court.

She asserts that after beating and hurling innumerable household utensils at her he shouted to her:

"You are not my wife. You are my slave—only my slave."

Rubin not only beat her himself, she alleges, but encouraged and allowed his brother and partner in business, Hiram Rubin, to beat her.

WORKS FOR SAFER FACTORIES.

Director of the New York Museum of Safety and Sanitation Will Speak Here Tonight.

Methods to lessen the danger in factories and similar places of employment besides ways of preventing diseases peculiar to these establishments—known as occupational diseases—will form the subject of an address to be given this evening at the residence of Dr. F. B. Turck, 1820 Michigan avenue, by Dr. W. H. Tolman of New York, director of the Museum of Safety and Sanitation in that city.

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RAZE LAST OF LOOP SHACKS

Plan 20 Story Building on Site, Jackson Blvd. Near Dearborn.

OWNED BY OTIS ESTATE.

New Bank Skyscraper to Be Erected at La Salle and Madison.

The last of the old wooden shacks in the loop district is being torn down to make place for a modern building, probably a twenty story office structure.

The frame building which is being razed fronts on the south side of Jackson boulevard, between Dearborn street and Plymouth place, and belongs to the F. R. Otis estate. It has a frontage of seventy-one feet on the boulevard and fifty feet on both the other thoroughfares, and was erected shortly after the fire of 1871.

It was stated yesterday at the office of the Otis estate in the Monadnock block that two plans were under consideration, one being a four story structure to be occupied entirely by a mercantile concern, and the other an office sky scraper, but the impression was given that the new edifice would overtop the Monadnock just across Dearborn street.

The work of construction probably will begin within the next few weeks, and it is understood that it will cost about $500,000.

Many Tried in Vain to Buy Site.

The property has for many years been recognized as being susceptible of improvement to excellent advantage, because of the three street frontage. Negotiations by real estate brokers, however, failed to bring about its purchase or long term lease from the Otis estate.

Mrs. Harriet Blair Borland, who owns the 125 feet adjoining on the south, is understood to have made several efforts to secure it, with the purpose of erecting a big office building covering the two holdings, but she met with no more success than the many others who preceded her.

Skyscraper for La Salle Street.

The announcement also was made that the Lucius B. Otis estate has about completed all the necessary arrangements for the erection of an eighteen story store, bank, and office building at the southwest corner of La Salle and Madison streets, opposite the La Salle hotel.

The proposed building, for which plans have been prepared by Holabird & Roche, will have a frontage of 190 feet on La Salle street and a depth of eighty feet. Its cost will be from $1,250,000 to $1,500,000.

The edifice has been in contemplation for some time, but plans have been delayed owing to a desire on the part of the estate to secure a bank tenant before beginning the construction.

STEWARD'S ORDERS BUNGLED; NEWSBOYS THROWN INTO PANIC

Instructions to Suppress Annoying Pamphlet Venders Taken to Mean Ban on Everything but Papers.

Somebody—several of them, in fact—magnified an order given by Police Chief Steward yesterday, and Chicago newsboys had an uncomfortable time of it.

Complaints early in the day reached the chief that several persons were becoming public nuisances by their methods of disposing of a certain pamphlet periodical. It was suggested that these individuals could be driven from the sidewalks by the application of an old city ordinance regulating the conduct of news stands. This ordinance, it is said, prevented the selling of any publication other than a newspaper of Chicago, printed in the city, on the stands.

Chief Steward called his secretary, James Markham, into his sanctum, and said he wanted the distributers of the periodical complained against driven out of the way, and kept out.

"Tell Inspector Lavin I want this done," said the chief.

The inspector was told. He passed it along to Capt. O'Brien of the detective bureau, who in turn informed Lieut. Andy Rohan. The lieutenant called in a squad of detectives, and sent them out to enforce it. By the time it reached the sleuths it had grown, and they told keepers of stands to sell nothing but daily newspapers—no magazines or periodicals. Then there was a howl. When the chief heard all about it he explained, and there was peace again.

AMERICAN BEAUTY SOCIETY HAS FIRST PUBLIC MEETING.

No, It's Not an Organization of Facial Specialists, but One to Fit Women for Public Life.

The American Beauty society—not facial specialists—made its debut in a public meeting at the Palmer house last night. Its avowed purpose is to fit women for public life, but it shies at the suggestion that it is an aid to suffragettes.

The society is not quite a political organization, and it does not make comeliness of feature or figure a qualification for admission to membership. It takes its name from the American Beauty rose, which has been adopted as its symbol.

"We are not a bunch of old 'hens,' as you might think from the name," said Miss Annie Smith, chairman of the press committee. "Take a look at the members gathered around the table.

"We are studying parliamentary rules, for we want to know how to conduct public meetings. We want to know how to make motions and adopt resolutions like men do."

The officers are Mrs. Margaret Littleton, president; Mrs. Ellen Casey, vice president; Miss Emma Haas, secretary; and Mrs. Dr. Camburn, treasurer. Meetings will be held every month at the Palmer house.

DOUBLE VALUE OF BAGGAGE.

Customs Officials at San Francisco Call Mrs. Price's $4,000 Figure Low—She Plans Protest.

The valuation of $4,000 placed upon her baggage by Mrs. Edward Price of Chicago has been doubled by the customs appraisers at San Francisco, Cal. Should it be decided that the undervaluation was premeditated, a penalty will be imposed. Mrs. Price, who recently arrived in San Francisco on the steamer Cleveland, said last night that she will protest to the Washington authorities.

BOND FAILURE DUE TO "SANE" POLICY

Attorney for Local Branch of Fisk & Robinson Says Firm Wouldn't "Plunge."

EXPECTS IT TO PAY OUT.

Concern Owes Chicago Banks $623,000, Secured by Various Collateral.

The failure of the New York bond and banking firm of Fisk & Robinson is attributed to its conservative policy of buying and selling stable securities by Frank Reed, attorney for the Chicago branch, who declared yesterday that the firm that will not "plunge" has uphill work in the modern business world.

It was pointed out that one of the causes which contributed to the firm's failure was its extensive business in government bonds, which bear low rates of interest, and which have declined on the market for several years.

Judge Landis appointed Bronson Winthrop ancillary receiver yesterday to close up the business of the Chicago branch, which has offices in the Commercial National Bank building. The Chicago assets amount to but little more than the office furniture, which is valued at $500. The liabilities of the Chicago office are given as $1,200, being office rent and light, and telephone bills.

Owes Chicago Banks $623,000.

The New York firm owed Chicago banks $623,000, according to the petition for an ancillary receiver. There is $228,000 due, which is secured by collateral of the face value of $296,500, which is in the possession of the banks. The remaining $335,000 is secured by bonds and stocks in the hands of the trustees in New York.

"The firm's failure is due, in part, to its policy of making safe and conservative investments on which low interest rates are paid," said Attorney Reed. "People seem to want investments which will pay 7 per cent, even if they have to take a risk. The market on this kind of investments is more active than on the safer kind.

"The firm ought to pay every cent of its obligations if its securities can be disposed of deliberately and on good markets. The indebtedness is scattered among the strongest banks in Chicago, and the amounts owed each bank vary from $10,000 to $100,000."

The Chicago branch office was closed yesterday, and clerks were instructed to make up balance sheets. It was stated that the branch here did a business amounting to $1,000,000 a week.

"The failure is an indication of a bad bond market," said George E. Roberts, president of the Commercial National bank. "This is due to general unrest and unsettled conditions in the business world because of proposed legislation for the restriction of corporations, and because of litigation pending in the courts."

SECURED OBLIGATIONS $5,000,000.

New York, Feb. 2.—The receiver of Fisk & Robinson estimates that the secured obligations of the firm will amount to about $5,000,000 and the unsecured obligations to more than $1,000,000. Local banks do not figure largely as creditors. The best judgment of the banking community is that no other bond houses are in danger, although it is pointed out that there has been great depreciation in a number of semi-speculative issues.

Manager W. A. Tracy of the Boston office issued the following statement of the firm's condition:

"Assets—Cash, $61,915; loans receivable, $2,122,858; securities, $4,423,444; accounts receivable, $225,250; furniture and fixtures, $10,000; total, $6,847,967.

"Liabilities—Loans payable, $5,276,570; deposits, $1,212,349; accounts payable, $246,405; balance in excess of assets, $112,643; total, $6,847,967."

The special meeting of the stock exchange governing committee to take action on the failure of Lathrop, Haskins & Co., which resulted from the collapse of the Columbus and Hocking Coal and Iron "pool," has been postponed until Feb. 16.

STILL DIG INTO BEEF BOOKS; OFFICIALS TESTIFY TO LITTLE

Assistant Treasurer and General Counsel Identify Records—Head of New York Packing Concern Called.

Arthur Colby, assistant treasurer of the National Packing company, and Ralph Crews, attorney for the same concern, kept the grand jury busy all day yesterday, although the four visits they made to the federal building did not consume half an hour.

But they brought with them books, which they left behind them for the perusal of the jurymen. Each testified once in the morning and once in the afternoon, just long enough to identify and explain the nature of the documents they brought with them.

It was learned during the day that witnesses have been summoned to attend the hearing from New York. The principal one of these is M. W. Marks, a member of the New York Butchers' association. He is the head of a packing company which is suspected of being subsidiary to the great Chicago corporations. He was summoned as the result of the investigations of William R. Maderas, a member of District Attorney Sims' staff, who has been engaged in probing the New York operations of the alleged trust ever since the inquiry was started.

INDICTS ANOTHER AS PANDER.

Grand Jury Returns Bill Against Clarence Gentry for Causing Girl to Enter Resort.

An indictment against Clarence Gentry, who is charged with having induced Katie Vinson, a 17 year old girl, to enter a resort owned by Maud Wood at 2117 Armour avenue, was returned by the grand jury yesterday. The Wood woman was indicted on Tuesday on a charge of harboring a girl under age. Capt. Wood and Capt. Cudmore and City Clerk John R. McCabe were witnesses before the inquisitorial body.

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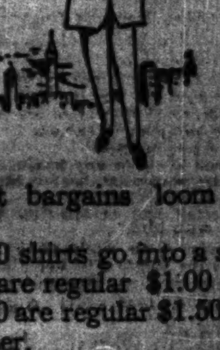
$16

Clearing overcoats, too; fine values here in season at $20, $22, $25 and $28, now selling at, your choice, only **$15**

The great vest sale starts this morning; regular $3.50, $4 and $5 values at $1.85; see the display in one of our State street windows.



Shirt bargains loom large today.

1,300 shirts go into a sale.
250 are regular $1.00 shirts.
1,050 are regular $1.50 shirts or better.

Negliges mostly, with some fancy stiff bosoms.

This cleans up entirely our Fall and Winter stock of fancy shirts.

And as every shirt of this sale is regular stock from our regular makers it's a very different proposition from the ordinary job lot sale.

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Rogers-Peet overcoats marked down to $15, $20 and $25.

Rogers-Peet suits marked down to $15 and $20.

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"WHEN THE ROBINS NEST AGAIN"

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SUBSCRIBE FOR THE TRIBUNE.

WILL TAKE CENSUS OF SLAIN ANIMALS

Congress Passes Bill with This Amendment After Partisan Debate.

"INSURGENTS" A "CLASS."

Missouri Legislator Charged with Planning to Enumerate Them.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—A lively political debate occupied nearly the entire time of the house today during the consideration of a bill to amend the census law so as to provide an enumeration of animals slaughtered in country butchering establishments and of hides produced in such establishments. Mr. Crumpacker of Indiana explained that this amendment was to give accurate information on a subject upon which there had been much political speculation.

With this amendment and others providing for an enumeration of land under irrigation and in relation to irrigation projects the bill was passed.

Reading a letter said to have been written by Representative Crow of Missouri, telling one of his constituents that if he should receive an appointment as a census enumerator he would have to ascertain the relative strength of "insurgents" and regular Republicans, Representative Robinson of Arkansas attacked the bill.

Work for "Enthusiastic Republican."

The letter was in the form of a newspaper clipping, and contained the statement that the work the census enumerator would have to do would be "such as any enthusiastic Republican will be glad to do and will not in any way conflict with your duty as an enumerator." It also stated that this extra work would be outlined to the candidate before his appointment, so that he need not accept the appointment if he did not desire to do what would be asked of him.

While reading from the letter, Mr. Robinson quoted a statement to the effect that the writer wished to know whether the voters were "insurgents" or regulars, and whether their disaffection was great enough to take them out of the party altogether.

Mann Bobs Up in Debate.

In an extended speech Mr. Sims of Tennessee declared if a nonpartisan census were desired the administration would appoint Republicans and Democrats to do the work of the census. Representatives Gaines of West Virginia, Langley of Kentucky, and Crumpacker of Indiana said that a nonpartisan enumeration of the census could be made if Republicans only were appointed.

"The man they appointed in Chicago as supervisor was not a Republican at all," said Mr. Mann of Illinois.

"Was he a Democrat?" asked Mr. Rucker of Missouri.

"We call him a Democrat," retorted Mr. Mann.

Charging that a rule of the census provided that in southern states negroes should be appointed to enumerate negroes, Representative Hardwick of Georgia declared it was being done to "rally the negro vote and to rally negro delegates in the national convention of the Republican party."

Madden Defends Negroes.

Representative Madden of Illinois declared the supervisors of the census were appointed without political consideration, saying he knew that was the case in Chicago. He did not believe the color of a citizen should be a bar in taking the census.

"Men," he said, "should be taken as men, regardless of their color or of their creed."

While Representative Keifer of Ohio was speaking of the nonpartisan character of the census takers Representative Heflin of Alabama interrupted to ask whether he would appoint negroes to enumerate the white persons of the south if he could do so.

"If they were as well qualified as the whites I would," replied Mr. Keifer.

CHICAGO POSTOFFICE TO HAVE 100 CLERKS ADDITIONAL.

Postmaster Campbell Obtains Increase for Force as Result of Tremendous Gain in Business of Office.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The Chicago postoffice is to have an increase in its force of clerks to attend to the tremendous amount of business with which it is flooded. As a result of the representations made by Postmaster Campbell, the postmaster general has authorized the employment of 100 additional clerks at a salary of $900 a year each. Mr. Campbell will immediately obtain the services of extra clerks up to the full number authorized by the department.

The pneumatic tube commission, of which Mr. Campbell is a member, made its final report to the postmaster general today. The commission recommended the trial of a tube of a diameter of thirty inches in Cincinnati. So far as can be learned no consideration was given the proposition to install any such size tube in Chicago. Indeed, in view of the underground situation existing in the lake city, Mr. Campbell was doubtful if the necessary franchise could be obtained.

Mr. Campbell left this afternoon for Chicago.

TARIFF ISSUE WITH GERMANY WILL BE ALL FIXED UP TODAY.

Both Countries Make Material Concessions in Arriving at Final Understanding on Question.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—It was announced at the state department today that a final understanding between the United States and Germany on the tariff issue probably will be reached tomorrow.

The practical inhibition of the importation of American cattle into Germany and the rigid microscopic inspection of American fresh meats by the German authorities have furnished most of the difficulties.

Some of the German schedules have been regarded by tariff experts in this country as unjust, if not discriminatory, against the United States. Both countries have made material concessions.

With the German tariff situation practically cleared up the state department and the government tariff experts at once will take up the French tariff, to determine to what extent American products are being discriminated against.

SENATE WARMS TO MAC VEAGH.

Finance Committee, After Showing Its Power, Favorably Reports Nominations of Cabell and Curtis.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The senate has begun to thaw in its attitude toward Secretary MacVeagh. It was annoyed at the independence he displayed in selecting his assistants and determined to teach him a lesson. Therefore it held up the confirmation of the nominations of James Freeman Curtis of Massachusetts to be assistant secretary of the treasury, and Royal C. Cabell of Virginia to be commissioner of internal revenue.

Believing it had sufficiently shown its power to the secretary, the senate finance committee favorably reported today the nominations of both Curtis and Cabell. When the senate went into executive session Senator Lodge, who had been authorized to report the name of Curtis, failed to appear. Mr. MacVeagh had selected Curtis without saying a word to the Massachusetts senator. In spite of Lodge's opposition, the outlook is that Curtis will be confirmed, dependent upon rulings he will make on certain tariff decisions.

Mr. Cabell was confirmed as commissioner of the internal revenue. The Illinois senators withdrew their objections to him.

CALLS POSTAL BANK MENACE

Senator Heyburn Says It Threatens All Private Incomes.

ROW OVER NAVY PLAN.

Secretary Meyer's Alleged Threat Anger House Committee.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—Should the postal savings bank bill become a law it would greatly endanger, if not destroy, incomes to the amount of hundreds of millions of dollars. This was the opinion expressed today by Senator Heyburn. The Idaho senator was engaged in a general discussion of the bill in connection with an amendment presented by Senator Smoot for the regulation of the removal of postal savings deposits from banks.

He contended that inasmuch as the fund under the bill would reach fully $700,000,000, it would enable the board of trustees to dictate the rate of interest throughout the country.

"In other words, the government purposes to go into the loaning business," he said, "and intends to fix the rate of interest at 2½ per cent."

In view of this fact, he asked what the effect would be on incomes derived from funds invested at 5 and 6 per cent.

Pleads for Widows and Orphans.

"Should we," he then asked, "so forget our duty to the widows and orphans whose funds are thus invested as to disturb the earning capacity of their investments?"

He declared that the bill should be denominated "An Act to Constitute the Government a Collection Agency for the Banks," and added that under the bill it was the purpose to convert the government into a general loaning agency.

Mr. Heyburn declared, also, that with the money once deposited there was no adequate means of obtaining its return to the depositor. He dwelt upon these difficulties, whereupon Senator Carter called attention to the fact that in times of emergency savings banks generally required a notice of thirty to sixty days for the withdrawal of funds.

The bill was under consideration for about two hours. One amendment by Senator Davis, providing for the deposit of postal funds in banks under state inspection as well as in those under federal supervision, was adopted.

Row Over Secretary Meyer's Plan.

A row is on in the house committee of naval affairs over developments from the hearings in committee on the Meyer plan of reorganization of the navy department, and the committee is badly split on the subject. After Secretary Meyer appeared before the committee today it was stated that the committee stands 9 to 9 on the proposition of approving the Meyer plan, with one member absent.

The committee is not divided along party lines. A mixed number of Republicans and Democrats, headed by Chairman Foss, are now opposed to the secretary's reorganization scheme. When the committee began its investigations early in December all but three of the members were reported to be favorable to the secretary's ideas.

The committee was considerably wrought up over the reports that the secretary of the navy was intending to discipline Rear Admiral Capps, chief constructor of the navy, and Rear Admiral Rogers, paymaster general, because of their testimony before the committee unfavorable to his plan. It is known that both Admiral Capps and Admiral Rogers were reluctant to testify.

President's Power Enlarged.

That there shall be no question as to the power of the president to withdraw public lands for conservation purposes and continue the withdrawals in force until revoked by him or by act of congress, the senate committee on public lands reported a substitute for two of the administration bills. As perfected the bill follows:

"That the president may, at any time in his discretion, withdraw from settlement, location, sale, or entry, any of the public lands of the United States, and reserve the same for forestry, water power, irrigation, classification, or other public purposes to be specified in withdrawal, and such withdrawal and reservation shall remain in force until revoked by him or by an act of congress. The secretary of the interior shall report all such withdrawals hereafter to congress at the beginning of its next regular session."

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The *spirit* of a publication is an actual thing. It assimilates the personality of an editor, the genius of a publisher, the talent of artists, a past of honorable progress, a future of enlightened intent—and it stands a living reality, discernible both by the people who compose it and the public for whom it is composed.

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FUND PUBLICITY IS NEARER FACT

House Committee Soon Will Urge the Passage of the McCall Measure.

ASK FOR ONE CHANGE.

Members Fear Effect of Giving Campaign Facts Before the Election.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Another step will be taken soon toward insuring the publicity of campaign funds in accordance with the recommendations of President Taft. The house committee on the election of president, vice president, and members of congress is on the point of reporting the McCall bill, and this prompt action is conceded to be due to THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE'S activity on behalf of the reform. The committee proposes to have nothing to do with the Crumpacker rider, which killed the bill in the Sixtieth congress.

But the sentiment in the committee is understood to be against the publicity of campaign funds before the election, however. The majority of the members object to that clause of the McCall bill which requires the campaign committees to file their preliminary statements not less than ten days before the votes are counted. They propose to strike out this clause, and to leave only the requirement that the complete statements be filed with the clerk of the house of representatives within thirty days after the election.

Fear Ammunition to Rivals.

Those opposed to the publication of the figures in advance of election day say it would show where one party had discovered a weakness in the line of the other, and where that party had sought, by pouring in cold cash, to win a victory. It would enable the enemy to rush financial reinforcements to the point of attack. But they evidently do not see that thus part of the money in a campaign would be reduced to its proper insignificance, for a money game cannot be played successfully with all the cards and all the money in plain sight.

This objection also proceeds upon the assumption that the ante-election publicity does not give an opportunity to explain. It is foreseen that things may appear which will not look well, and which will be made the subject of scandal if they get before the house before the election. They know that no opportunity will be neglected to acquaint the people with the interests which are seeking to control the elections.

Fear a Plain Statement.

Certain members of the committee hesitate to take their chances on a plain statement of facts, which would speak for themselves. They prefer that the statement shall be made at a time when it can have no direct effect upon the election.

Congressman McCall is not delighted to lose this feature of his bill, and yet he is inclined to take the committee's attitude philosophically. He is glad that the rest of the provisions seem to please the committee. In case the bill is reported without the ante-election statement clause, he thinks that the rest of the reform can be allowed to rest and later can be made subject of an appeal to congress.

BALLINGER TO HAVE COUNSEL.

Secretary Will Be Represented by Attorney in Congressional Investigation.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—Secretary Ballinger at last, after much persuasion, has decided to employ counsel to appear before the Ballinger-Pinchot congressional investigation committee to defend his side of the case. Alfred Battle, former law partner of the secretary, will be the latter's representative.

TAX WAR NETTLES CONGRESS

Members Irritated by Illinois Association Circulars.

HOUSE TO TAKE MATTER UP.

Cincinnati Corporation Not in Sympathy with Fight.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—John M. Glenn, secretary of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, left today for Chicago, disgusted with the unwillingness of the administration or of congress to repeal the publicity provision of the corporation tax law.

It is the intention of Mr. Glenn to send a circular to all corporations in the United States urging them to push a campaign for the repeal of the publicity feature of the law. Their attention will be called to the request of the Republican national committee made to officers of corporations to contribute to the Republican campaign fund, and it will be suggested that it is only proper that the corporations should write to men elected with the aid of their money to give them relief from a provision harmful to their business.

Members of Congress Irritated.

It is not likely that this kind of literature will have any effect. Indeed, members of congress are becoming irritated over the language of circulars already sent out by the Illinois Manufacturers' association. Representative Nicholas Longworth of Ohio will present in the house of representatives in a few days one of these circulars and the reply made thereto by a corporation in his district in Cincinnati.

Th circular declares that fully 60 per cent of the members of congress believe the corporation tax law unjust, inquisitorial, and discriminatory. Forty per cent of these men, it is claimed, are ready to vote for its repeal.

The corporations are asked to write to their senators and congressmen to urge action and bring to their attention that they are under more obligations to their constituents than they are to the administration.

Corporation Supports Law.

The comments of the Cincinnati corporation upon this circular are interesting. This company declares it is not in sympathy with the movement of the Illinois association and does not consider it to be patriotic or wise. It expresses the belief that support of the administration will be more advantageous to the people than that senators and congressmen should be influenced against it.

It is convinced that the business men of the United States should pay toward the support of the government. As to whether the corporation tax is equitable or not, it does not consider this question now. It is the means which has been adopted, and if it is not equitable, it should be modified to obtain the result desired.

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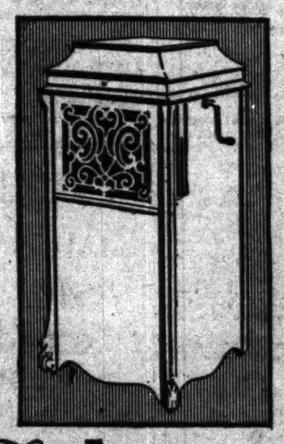

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Warmth-without-weight overcoats are making a big hit. Fine soft weaves, grays, black, in plain and herringbone weaves; made of finest Australian long wool. They're beautiful fabrics, and comfortable to wear, silk lined, $35, $38, $40 values at $25. Irene lined, $25, $28, $30 values at $20.

Finest suits in all the smart weaves and colors; fancy, blue and black, $30, $35, $38, $40 values, $25; many silk lined.

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SIXTY-EIGHT DIE IN MEXICAN MINE

Explosion in Coal Shaft Is Third Disaster in Three Days; 178 Killed in All.

CHERRY WORK HALTED.

Exploring Parties Suffer Serious Check; 50 Found at Primero; 34 at Drakesboro.

MINE DISASTERS OF LAST THREE DAYS.

MONDAY—Primero, Colo.	75 dead
TUESDAY—Drakesboro, Ky.	35 dead
WEDNESDAY—Coahuila, Mexico	68 dead
Total	178

The total death roll of the Cherry, Ill., disaster Nov. 13, 1909, was 285.

Laredo, Tex., Feb. 2.—One of the greatest disasters in the history of Mexican coal mining, which has heretofore experienced several crushing blows, resulting in a tremendous loss of human life, took place early today in the Palau mine at Las Esperanzas, Mexico. The toll of human life which paid the penalty of negligence on the part of some miner, is officially placed at sixty-eight, while the list of the injured numbers nearly as many. All the bodies have been recovered.

The explosion occurred in the No. 3 shaft of the coal mine of the Esperanzas Mining company, and is attributed to the ignition of gas from the flame of a cigaret which a miner was smoking, contrary to the rules.

The miners, consisting principally of Mexicans and Japanese, had assumed their various places in the different workings shortly after 7 o'clock. About 8:30 o'clock those at work above ground were startled by a loud explosion and almost instantly a vast cloud of dust and smoke issued from the mouth of the shaft.

Rescuers Rush to Mine.

When the onlookers realized the meaning of the disaster, assistance immediately was forthcoming, and as soon as the air in the shaft could be purified sufficiently to permit rescuers to descend, many volunteers were ready to risk their lives in an endeavor to succor the men below.

A cage was sent down, followed later by another, and then another, all loaded to their utmost capacity with miners bent on rescuing their comrades. When the cages descended, and the men made an examination of the first and second levels everything was found to be intact, and, beyond being terribly frightened, the men working in these levels were safe.

They were brought to the top as rapidly as the cages could be loaded. The rescue party continued its explorations, and went down to the third level, and, as soon as the air could be sufficiently cleared, entered the various shafts and began a search for the dead. A terrible sight met their eyes. Scattered about in various positions in the workings they found the bodies of the men, suffocated; their faces indicating in many instances the bitter fight they had waged to reach pure air and safety without the workings.

Rock Hampers Cherry Workers.

Cherry, Ill., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Heavy falls of rock have been encountered by the men who are working in the St. Paul mine, which was unsealed yesterday, and it may be several days before any of the 172 bodies in the pit are recovered. The rescuing force is working in the west portion of the mine, trying to clear a passage between the main and the air shafts. The fire did not reach this portion of the mine.

After a passage shall have been cleared the men will drill through the heavy falls on the east side of the mine, where most of the bodies of the entombed miners are supposed to lie. One or more bodies are known to be near the air shaft, and these may be recovered before the main work of reaching the east side is begun.

The miners at the Granville, Ill., mine of the St. Paul Coal company have gone on strike.

Colorado Death Roll Is 75.

Primero, Colo., Feb. 2.—Monday's explosion in the main mine of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company claimed a total of seventy-five victims and left thirty-five widows and sixty-five fatherless children.

These facts were determined late this afternoon, when the official canvass of the camp was completed and the names of the missing men were checked with the payroll.

Exploration of the workings continued all day. At 8 o'clock tonight the bodies of two drivers, unidentified, were found in a crosscut. This makes a total of fifty bodies recovered. Search for the remaining twenty-five is being continued.

Late this afternoon Coroner Guilfoyl sent thirty-four bodies to Trinidad on a special train, and tomorrow probably will forward the remaining sixteen to that city, where a general funeral will be held.

Get 34 Bodies at Drakesboro.

Drakesboro, Ky., Feb. 2.—With crepe hanging on every other door along the two straggling streets of the little mining town of Browder, and motley funeral corteges, headed by all sorts of improvised hearses, moving toward the cemetery, today was largely given over to the effacement of death's work in the Elk Valley coal mine. There was no attempt at holding divine services over the mangled bodies. Rescuing parties were going up and down in the mine all day, but no further finds were made during the afternoon, the last body being brought up at 12:30 o'clock p. m.

This brought the count of dead to thirty-four, with one man, Foreman Pete Kelly, missing. The count made by mine officials this afternoon definitely fixes the total as above stated. Fifty-five men were in the area affected by the explosion, and of the twenty-who got out alive scarcely one was unhurt. Two of the injured are expected to die.

No new facts pertaining to the cause of the explosion were developed today. No attempt has been made as yet to call an inquest. State Mine Inspector Norwood arrived today from Lexington and began a careful survey of the scene of the explosion. The United States geological survey experts with their rescue equipment will find nothing to do when they arrive tomorrow morning.

U. S. Orders Experts to Kentucky.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 2.—Assistant Chief Engineer J. C. Roberts, in charge of the United States geological survey station at this point, has ordered Mining Engineer J. J. Rutledge of Knoxville, Tenn., to Drakesboro, to assist in rescue work. J. M. Kavanaugh, an assistant at the local station, left Pittsburg early today with oxygen tanks and safety helmets for the scene.

Electric Club Elects Officers.

At the annual meeting of the Electric club of Chicago yesterday at the grillroom of the Chicago Automobile club, the following officers were elected: Frederic P. Vose, president; Homer E. Niesz, vice president; F. S. Hickok, secretary; F. J. Postel, treasurer. Other members of the board of managers are A. A. Gray, W. E. Kelly, Robert S. Mitten, George H. Porter, B. R. Rockwell.

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FOR THE SUFFERERS AT THE CHERRY MINE.

Following is a list of Italian societies contributing to the relief fund for the widows and orphans of Cherry:

Nuova Industria, Franklin, Mich.	$25.00
Ettore Perrone, Laurium, Mich.	25.00
Beneficenza Italiana, Calumet, Mich.	25.00
Club Alpino, Calumet, Mich.	20.00
Pietro Micca, South Range, Mich.	25.00
Giuseppe Giusti, Calumet, Mich.	25.00
Toscana Giovine Italia, Hancock, Mich.	25.00
G. Garibaldi, Laurium, Mich.	20.00
Lega Cittadina, Laurium, Mich.	25.00
Cristoforo Colombo, Calumet, Mich.	25.00
Club Carlo Botta, Calumet, Mich.	25.00
Garibaldi Cellini, Calumet, Mich.	25.00
Total contribution	$290.00

These funds were forwarded to THE TRIBUNE by Guido Sabetta, Italian consul at Chicago.

THE TRIBUNE will continue to receive relief subscriptions. Checks should be made payable to the Tribune company.

PEARY SETS FORTH A PLAN FOR SOUTH POLE RESEARCH.

His Proposal Is That Arctic Club and the National Geographic Society Fit Out Joint Expedition.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—Commander Robert E. Peary, discoverer of the north pole, has made a proposition to the National Geographic society, which, if accepted, will mean that an American expedition will be on its way to discover the south pole next fall.

On behalf of the Peary Arctic club of New York, Peary suggested that the club and the geographic society fit up a joint expedition to reach the south pole. The club, he said, would contribute the steamship Roosevelt, which could not be duplicated for $150,000, provided the society would assume the responsibility for the first $50,000 toward the cost of the expedition. All expenses above that sum would be divided equally between the two organizations. Peary estimated that the total cost would be from $75,000 to $100,000.

The expedition would start next fall, and would reach coast land about March, 1911. It is estimated that the explorers would reach the south pole about Dec. 31, 1911.

Peary said he could not conduct the expedition in person, as the sledge work required so much physical exertion that it needed a younger man than he to undertake it.

EVERYBODY TO HAVE HIS SAY ON HARBOR AND SUBWAY BILLS

No Action Will Be Taken by the Judiciary Committee Until a Full Hearing Is Had.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Mayor Busse's visit to Springfield resulted in a promise from Chairman Chiperfield of the house judiciary committee that no action will be taken upon either the harbor or the subway bills until a full hearing has been had with all interests represented.

With the mayor were Ald. Foreman, Foell, Snow, and Koraleski. The council resolutions, reaffirming the position of the city government of Chicago that it stands for the "city" harbor bill rather than for the Ton bill conferring the right to construct harbors, was read into the house record, and the assurances came from the Chiperfield committee that there will be equal opportunity for both bills at the proper time. This time was set for next Wednesday, but developments changed the house program and it is probable there will not be enough members here on Wednesday to permit of a committee hearing.

The Field museum bill is in trouble. Opposition has sprung up in the house judiciary committee. The bill failed to get enough votes this morning to obtain a favorable report.

The house cleaned up its calendar this morning. It passed the Stearns Lake Michigan fishing bill, the senate bill regarding outlet sewers for certain cities, the bill wanted by East St. Louis for a local drainage district, and the bill providing for a commission of six to investigate the question of employers' liability legislation.

Mr. Chiperfield from the judiciary committee reported out favorably the income tax joint resolution and moved its adoption. Pending final action upon the joint resolution it was ordered to lie upon the speaker's table.

WANT CITY TO BUILD HARBOR.

A committee representing the Chicago real estate board went to Springfield last night to urge the passage of the Cermak bill, which seeks to give to the city of Chicago the right to build and maintain a harbor. Henry H. Walker, E. A. Halsey, and Joseph Donnersberger were chosen to press the adoption of the measure.

K. of C. Council Holds Ball.

The annual masquerade ball of the Marquette council, Knights of Columbus, was held last evening in the assembly rooms of the fraternity. About 200 attended.

PRIMARY ACTION IS UP TO SENATE

House Refuses to Consider Gibson Bill Until Own Measure Is Acted On.

MEMBERS GO TO HOMES.

No Business Can Be Transacted in Lower Branch for Two Weeks at Least.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The house has declined to consider the Gibsonized senate primary bill until the senators shall have acted upon the Hamilton-Staymates-Oglesby-Murray-Deneen-Sullivan bill, passed by the house yesterday. By an agreement announced by Speaker Shurtleff this afternoon there will be no quorum in the house until one week from next Tuesday. By a less publicly proclaimed arrangement there will be no business transacted until the senate has done something with the house idea of direct plurality primary law.

It is well recognized that the house organization proposes to be belligerent. The representatives often have purchased many gold bricks from the senators, but they will not this time.

In the meanwhile, the Schmitt deep waterway bill reposes in Representative Smejkal's committee, the election law amendments are missing, and the harbor bills, the subway bill, and the Field museum bill await the moment that the judiciary committee of the house is assembled by Chairman Chiperfield.

Boost House Primary Bill.

The house primary bill now looks good to the state administration and to the real friends of direct primaries. Strenuous efforts are being made to have the senate accept the bill in precisely the form in which it passed the house yesterday. Senator Hurburgh of Galesburg, the administration whip, is authority for the statement that the house bill is certain of favorable action in the senate next Tuesday.

The talk that an effort will be made to put the system of legislative nominations into a separate bill, to be sent back to the house for concurrence, still continues, and if enough votes can be secured for such an arrangement it is probable this course will be pursued next week. It is not the intention of the boosters for this proposal to change in any way the language or the legislative intent of the house bill, which provides specifically that the senatorial committee shall possess the absolute power to stipulate the number of house candidates which shall be nominated.

The advice of the old guard to the element which would strive to dodge the Supreme court upon this phase of the bill is to leave the measure as it stands, and take the chance that the Supreme justices would overlook the legislative tangle upon the broad ground of subserving public policy.

Fight on Cermak Proposal.

Strong factors in both the senate and house want an amendment in the senate to the house bill which would slice out the Cermak provision that all members of managing committees must be duly elected precinct committeemen. Under the section which Representative Cermak fathered in amending the bill such of our leaders as Gov. Deneen for one or Roger C. Sullivan for another might be precluded from sitting in conferences of great moment in the Republican or the Democratic organizations.

Representative Cermak today introduced his bill providing for the nomination of aldermen in Chicago this spring by a direct plurality primary. The bill fixes the dates of the primary for March 4. Cermak wanted the bill sent to second reading without reference. The bill lies on the speaker's table. There does not seem to be any possibility of the Cermak bill reaching enactment.

Such a law undoubtedly would save much finance to those aldermen who have no opposition for reelection and who are stung for the expense of delegates' tickets, convention halls, and the usual trimmings which go with the soap box primaries.

SHIP FIGHTS WIND, WAVE, FIRE.

Steamer from New York Arrives at Galveston with Flames in Hold, After Eventful Voyage.

Galveston, Tex., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The steamship El Dorado from New York arrived tonight with fire in the lower hold. The voyage was one of the most eventful in its history.

For two days and nights it battled a terrific storm off Cape Hatteras. In the combat with wind and waves the cargo was badly listed and for several hours serious damage to the vessel was threatened.

Emerging from the storm fire was discovered in a lot of charcoal and evidently had been burning several hours. Steam was shot into the hold and for three days the crew fought the fire.

Today as the vessel neared this port some of the hatches were removed, but the flames forced their being battened again tonight. Water and steam are being poured into the hold in an effort to extinguish the fire. The loss is estimated at $35,000.

COMMISSION BILL IS PASSED

House Amendments May Render It of No Value, However.

FEAR THE RECALL CLAUSE.

Friends Say High Percentage of Names Needed Ruin Purpose.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The house today passed the commission form of government bill by a vote of 87 to 11, but the measure goes to the senate in such shape that it is likely the fight for the enactment of a law sought by friends of the new system will have to begin all over again.

The amended Gorman bill was passed without serious difficulty. At the first roll call it carried an emergency clause and received only eighty-seven votes, fifteen short of the 102 needed. Acting Speaker David E. Shanahan directed that the bill be placed on its passage minus the emergency proviso. There again were eighty-seven votes for the bill, and it was declared passed.

Opposed to Recall Amendment.

Formidable objection to the Chiperfield amendment concerning the recall section appears to be growing, and the assertion is made tonight that the senators who are "on the square" for a commission form of government bill will fight the house measure on the theory that the Chiperfield amendment is intended to wreck the practical operation of the act.

In the original senate and house bills the minimum of names necessary to petitions for a recall election was placed at 25 per cent. The Chiperfield amendment shoved this percentage up to 75 per cent. The argument being made tonight is that 75 per cent is an impossible proportion to get on a recall petition. Friends of the new system say the bill, as it stands, never would be accepted by any city with such a prospect in sight.

Fear "Official Newspaper" Plan.

The "official newspaper" amendment offered by Representative Dillon yesterday, and incorporated in the house bill, also meets with reproach from certain senators. Mr. Dillon voted against the bill today at every opportunity he had, frankly declaring that he opposed the bill on its merits.

There was no argument when the bill came along for passage this morning. On the roll call Representative Kleeman affirmed that he had made a recent study of conditions in Texas cities which have the commission form, and that the net results have been bad. Representative Tom Gorman of Peoria rounded up enough votes to save the measure as against Representative Alschuler of Aurora, whose sole ambition was to jab it to the heart.

INDICTS 42 IN GARY LIQUOR WAR

Grand Jury at Crown Point Deals Hard Blow to Alleged "Blind Tigers."

The grand jury at Crown Point, Ind., which for the last two weeks has been hearing evidence on the "blind tiger" situation at Gary, yesterday afternoon returned forty-two indictments against alleged illicit traffickers of liquor. The investigations will continue and several more indictments are expected.

More than 200 persons, including nearly every official and employé of the city, have been summoned to testify.

It is believed that the recent "immunity bath" taken by the blind tiger keepers when they pleaded guilty before Mayor T. E. Knotts of Gary to the charges and had their sentences suspended will be disregarded on the ground that they connived to secure their own conviction.

OBITUARY.

DR. HENRY W. MERRILL died of paralysis yesterday at his residence in Maywood. He was 55 years old and had been a resident of that section for more than thirty years, practicing medicine there following his graduation from Rush Medical college. His wife and two children survive. Dr. Merrill's father, the late James Henry Merrill, was one of the pioneer residents of the city. Funeral services will be held at the Congregational church in Maywood tomorrow afternoon.

MRS. SARAH C. MASON, widow of William Mason of Morris, Ill., died at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. W. Forward of 6707 Wentworth avenue. She will be buried at Morris today.

SIR GEORGE DRUMMOND, senator, president of the Bank of Montreal and president of the Canada Sugar Refinery company, died yesterday aged 81.

LEVI WITHEE, lumberman and Republican party leader, died yesterday in La Crosse, Wis., aged 75.

DENEEN ON TOUR URGES WATERWAY

Governor Will Visit Downstate Cities in Fight to Aid Schmitt Bill.

NO COMPROMISE BY HIM.

Completion of the Lockport-Utica Canal Called Plain Duty of State.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Gov. Deneen started today on a campaign for the Schmitt deep waterway bill, which initiates the real waterway fight in the legislature. He declared before the business men of Springfield, represented in the chamber of commerce, that it is the business duty of the state to proceed with the Lockport-Utica canal under such terms as are specified in the Schmitt bill.

Gov. Deneen tomorrow will address the business men of East St. Louis upon the same topic and on Friday he will go to Watseka. It is his program to urge his friends in both the senate and house to jump into the scrap immediately and bring the waterway row to a crisis.

Reply to Sherman Speech.

In his chamber of commerce speech Gov. Deneen indirectly replied to the speech of Lawrence Y. Sherman in New York. He insisted that the deep waterways is favored by the people and that the bond issue, approved at the last election, is an indication of that favor. He offered a number of reports on deep waterways from the government and referred at length to the plan inaugurated in the state of Illinois.

The governor expressed wonderment at a protest at this time and said that no opposition had been offered when the proposition was first presented to the people. In referring indirectly to the speech of Sherman, the governor said:

"I am aware that among the opponents of this project are to be found some whose opposition is not traceable to any sinister motive. This, I would be the last to deny. All I can say to such opponents is that their private views are opposed to the deliberate judgment of the state commission appointed to advise the general assembly upon this question, of the general assembly itself, and of the people of this state. In combating these views, however, I do not hesitate to say that in their nature they are calculated to serve private and defeat public interests and that they have their origin either in misinformation or in the ulterior purposes of those who seek to profit by preventing a realization of this great public undertaking."

Planned Campaign Long Ago.

The governor had planned to start upon a speech making tour of the state in behalf of the program for waterway construction and water power development in the Lockport-Utica district when the Cairo riots occurred. These and the matters which followed in rapid succession kept the governor at Springfield. It is in partial development of this campaign policy that takes Gov. Deneen on his trip tomorrow.

The action of the house in declining to do further business until the senate has taken some definite action on the house primary bill means there will be nothing doing on a waterway bill until one week from Tuesday. If the senate gets cross about a primary law and snubs the house measure, the deadlock will continue indefinitely, which means in the long run that Senator Lorimer will have all the time he wants at Washington to make good on his promises to the state to secure federal aid of much magnitude for the Lockport-Utica stretch of deep waterway.

Deneen Wants No Compromise.

Gov. Deneen let it be known tonight that he looks for no compromise. All that Lorimer asked for when compromise talk was in the air was enough time to get his case before the proper committees at Washington. The Lorimer argument was that Mr. Lorimer had merely to state his desires and congress would do the rest.

Any compromise or agreement which might have been made lasted no longer than Feb. 1. That was three days since, and the reports from Washington have not convinced any of the legislators that federal coin is on its way to Illinois as per the Lorimer talk.

In any event the governor, by his intimations tonight, has burned all bridges and is ready to go to the front for the Schmitt bill.

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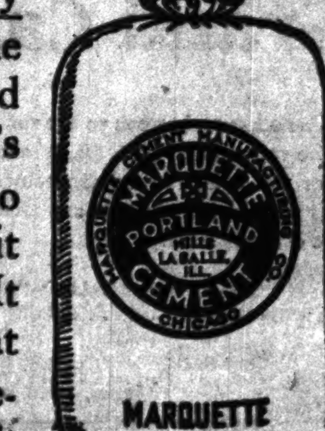

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FOUR DISCIPLINED BY POLICE BOARD

Sergeant Fined, Patrolman Reprimanded, Two Others Lose Their Jobs.

WAR ON THE SPITTERS.

Chief Orders Plain Clothes Men to Enforce Sanitary Regulation of City.

One patrolman and a dog catcher were discharged, a sergeant fined ten days' pay, and another patrolman reprimanded yesterday after hearings by the trial board. One of the cases disposed of dated back to August, 1908. The cases were those of:

Patrolman Frederick Bartholomey of the Deering street station; absent from duty without permission; four previous fines against him; discharged from the department.

Dog Catcher Mathew Werle, conduct unbecoming an employé of the police department; discharged.

Sergt. John J. Duffy of the detective bureau; intoxication and insubordination; fined ten days' pay.

Patrolman Edward J. Heffron, Attrill street station; conduct unbecoming an officer; reprimanded.

It was charged that Werle shot Ike Steinberg on Aug. 31, 1908. The matter was taken to the Criminal court.

Charges Made by Lieut. Rohan.

Lieut. Andy Roban of the detective bureau made the charge against Sergeant Duffy. The trouble occurred at a recent roll call.

Chief Steward issued an order directing all commanding officers to detail plain clothes men on street cars and elevated trains to arrest violators of the anti-spitting ordinance. Persons caught spitting on the sidewalk also will be arrested.

For a brief interim the police department will be permitted to rest from fear of transfers. "For a few days at least," Chief Steward will devote some of his attention to have a number of saloon licenses revoked for repeated failure to obey the 1 o'clock closing ordinance. The chief received a "Black Hand" communication, but he is ignoring the message.

Cleaning Up the West Side.

Inspector Hunt's activities in driving disorderly houses from the residence districts of the west side are closely watched by the head of the department. The recently transferred inspector has sent word to all keepers of such houses now in residence districts that he would give them ten days in which to move.

Four Madison street resorts and three "rooming houses" in West Van Buren street were ordered closed immediately.

Four clergymen will confer with Mayor Busse this morning in an effort to have him appoint a commission of fifteen to investigate vice conditions in the city with a view of remedying conditions. They are Prof. Herbert L. Willett of the University of Chicago; the Rev. J. A. Vance, pastor of Hyde Park Presbyterian church; the Rev. Benjamin Lewis Hobson of McCormick Theological seminary, and the Rev. Smith Ford, pastor of the Englewood Baptist church.

TWO DEATHS IN ONE FAMILY DUE TO SPINAL MENINGITIS.

Health Department Places the Home of I. H. Slaminski at Mayfair Under Quarantine.

The house of I. H. Slaminski at 4539 North Forty-sixth court, Mayfair, has been placed under quarantine, and the family will be closely watched following an investigation by the health department, which showed that the death of two children of the family was due to cerebro spinal meningitis. A third child affected with the disease has been taken to a hospital.

"We do not anticipate any danger of the disease becoming epidemic," said Dr. H. Spaulding of the Health department. "The house has been fumigated and placed under quarantine, the quarantine being more on account of the fact that an infant child has whooping cough than fear of a spread of the other disease.

"It is not necessary to quarantine for spinal meningitis, the disease not being classified as contagious, like scarlet fever and diphtheria. Sometimes houses are quarantined, but it is a matter wholly discretionary with the health department. There are five children in the family besides the two that died and the third affected."

Cerebro spinal meningitis has never been epidemic in Chicago, cases being sporadic. Figures for several years show the fatalities to have been three in 1904, sixteen in 1905, six in 1906, and twenty-four in 1909.

The deaths in the Slaminski family are the first to occur from the disease in several months, according to the health department.

PASS IN PHARMACY TESTS.

Names of Successful Applicants from Chicago and Elsewhere Given Out at Springfield.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—At the January meeting of the Illinois state board of pharmacy in Springfield, eighteen out of a class of forty-seven applicants for registered pharmacist and twelve out of sixteen candidates for assistant pharmacist passed the examinations. The names follow:

Registered pharmacists—Bella L. Galvin, Edward E. Luken, Frederick Rulcker, Max Stine, M. A. Serritella, and Gustav A. Nester, all of Chicago; and James T. English, Carrollton; Charles E. Fianti, Grafton; B. F. Hudson, Moweaqua; Roy L. Irwin, Decatur; J. L. Lawrence, Arthur; Thomas Q. Mathis, Granite City; Hugh McCaslin, Nokomis; Joseph D. Proffit, Anchor; Harold N. Rudd, Galesburg; J. Robert Shine, Mattoon; John H. Sims, Perry, and John E. Sisk, Marion.

Assistant pharmacists—L. R. Crawford, Hyman Lebovitz, Charles Gimble, and Arnold P. Hicks, all of Chicago; and Charles E. Brady, Jacksonville; Harry Bugg, Springfield; Elton H. Elder, Decatur; Lester T. Loomis, Medora; Cora Miller, Pana; H. F. Obermeyer, Jacksonville; Roy R. Ogg, Springfield, and F. D. Williamson, Upper Alton.

The next meeting of the board for the examination of registered pharmacists will be held in Chicago, Tuesday, March 8.

SAYS BOY NEEDS $4,000 A YEAR

Court Asked for That Sum to Care For and Educate Ten Year Old George L. Bradbury Jr.

Four thousand dollars a year is asked for the care and education of 10 year old George L. Bradbury Jr. by John B. Cockrum in a bill filed in the Circuit court yesterday as "next friend."

George Lewis Bradbury left an estate of $391,000, his son to be allowed $1,200 a year until he was 21. The child's mother died later and since then he has lived at 3214 Michigan boulevard with an aunt.

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NEWS OF THE COURTS.

Decrees and Judgments.

Judge Dupuy—6138—Osterlock vs. Osterlock, divorce.—4930—Kaczanowska vs. Kaczanowska, divorce.—2763330—Pecke vs. Pecke; divorce.—5016—Burke vs. Burke; divorce.—4520—Koontz vs. Koontz; divorce.—125711—Haven vs. Svodspat, decree.—3273—C. T. & T. Co. vs. Rothouse et al., decree.

Judge Petit—285536—Fahrney vs. McLeod et al., decree.—6923—In re petition of John Hill et al., decree.—296763—Real Estate Title and Trust company vs. John H. Thompson, decree.

Judge Walker—6306—Olszewski vs. McGinner et al., decree of sale.—7018—Ostrowsky vs. Ostrowsky, divorce.

Judge Windes—4799—Horan vs. Horan, decree of sale.—220—Schulz vs. Jobst, decree of sale.—2191—Mathys vs. Ox Beef company, decree.

Judge Ball—2241—Reddick vs. Stars R. company, judgt. on fdg., $1,500.

Judge Scanlan—246904—Morris vs. I. C. Ry. Co., judgt. on fdg., $150 and sat.

Judge Gibbons—Newman vs. Northwestern Ele. Ry. Co., judgt. on verdt., $500 and sat.

Court Calls for Today.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Kohlsaat—10 a. m., 27496.
Judge Landis—10 a. m., motions.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

Judge Landis—10 a. m., motions.
Judge Carpenter—10 a. m., motions.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Judge McEwen—Trial call, 1546, 2488, 2435, 2433, 2430, 2426, 2427, 2428, 2425, 576, 583, 589, 601, 602, 603, 605, 615, 616, 671.

Judge Barnes—Trial call, 1168, 1189, 1072, 2348, 138, 2416, 2413, 1414, 2400, 2401, 2402, 2371, 2444, 2459, 368, 370, 1668, 1543, 1287.

Judge Kersten—Trial call, 2119, 2120, 1063, 184, 237, 512, 2097, 513, 515, 516, 525, 526, 532, 544, 573.

Judge Tuthill—Trial call, 546, 1102, 1132, 1147, 1156, 1157, 1186, 1212, 1220, 1221.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Chetlain—No announcement.

Judge Dupuy—10 a. m., chancery motions of course; trial call, 4700, 4103, 3410, 5528; 2 p. m., trial call, 265062, 277004, 1502.

Judge Abbott—9:30 a. m., trial call, 2610, 2771, 1968, 3082, 2297, 2533, 2377, 2457, 1671, 2376, 1665, 1747, 1582, 2774, 3124, 3126, 3129, 3130, 3131, 3112. On trial, 1495.

Judge Kavanagh—10 a. m., law motions of course; trial call, 3530, 3177, 3611, 3614, 3435, 3769, 3595, 3876, 715, 3092, 3344, 4073, 4074, 4075, 4076. On trial, 3350.

Judge Barnes—At Criminal court.

Judge McSurely—10 a. m.—Trial call, 4367, 4437, 4440, 4445, 4580, 4584, 4585, 4589, 4590, 4657, 4659, 3891, 4661, 4727, 4731, 4733, 4798, 4800, 4801, 128, 3271. On trial, 4366.

Judge Ball—9:30 a. m.—Trial call, 2629, 2400, 2636, 2638, 2707, 2708, 2709, 2711, 2713, 2714. On trial, 2557, 2088.

Judge Brentano—10 a. m.—Set motions.
Judge Wright—No announcement.
Judge Ben Smith—9:30 a. m.—On trial, 4521.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Petit—10 a. m.—Chancery motions of course—Trial call, 287764, 231081, 236996, 203761, 2990, 267363, Sedlacek vs. Bohn B. L. A. Co., 2028, 6328, 277608, 2720. On hearing, 974.

Judge Walker—10 a. m.—Chancery motions of course—Trial call, 1529, 2461. On trial, 2820.

Judge Windes—9:30 a. m.—Chancery motions of course—On hearing, 2002. Announcement. Judge Windes will have a first call of 100 cases from 701 to 800, inclusive, at 9:30 a. m.

Judge Pinckney—At Juvenile court.
Judge Tuthill—At Criminal court.

Judge Mangan—10 a. m., law motions of course, trial call, 3606, 3618, 3597, 3169, 3998, 3590, 4065, 1275, 4055, 4075, 4120, 4236, 575, 698, 4143, 4035, 3566. On trial, 3496.

Judge Baldwin—10 a. m., law motions of course, set case, 295836. On trial, 3605.

Judge Scanlan—10 a. m., law motions of course; trial call, 264481, 5860, 5861, 3423, 3444, 3449, 3350, 2017, 1930, 2816, 3395, 1521, 284997, 4898, 3415, 3474, 2706, 2613, 3681, 2616, 2644, 2292.

Judge Honoré—No announcement.

Judge Gibbons—10 a. m., law motions of course, trial call, 1992, 2964, 3651, 3616, 3686, 3520, 220996, 293863, 2628, 3702, 3714, 3719, 3245, 3778. On trial, 3338.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge Rinaker—10 a. m.—Motions. All undisposed of legal objections and benefits in calendar 187.

Judge Reckhow—10 a. m.—All undisposed of legal objections and benefits in calendar 186.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Cutting—10 a. m.—Motions in estate of N. Perault, Mary Connolly, and Emil Stueckler. 2:15 p. m.—In estates of Hulda Cohen, John Voss, and Max Goldblatt.

Judge Welch—10 a. m.—In estates of Isabella Murray, Theodore Schuster, Theodore Schram, Charles F. Weber, Eliza Klod, Gustav Hering, and Joseph Bard. 2 p. m.—In estate of Paulina Sawicki.

MUNICIPAL COURT.

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Judge Heap [nonjury]—166227, 166288, 164358, 165573, 167105, 167634, 167804, 156547, 169365, 164752, 170821, 144053, 160783, 164489, 163091, 170794, 171076, 141498, 165943, 168717, 168190, 167139, 165060, 168685, 163974, 170664, 169540, 164672, 165307, 170288, 141801, 165231.

Judge Crowe [nonjury]—164610, 169106, 169372, 164717, 167697, 16760, 167608, 171083, 164881, 165363, 164585, 164891, 170967, 169729, 167586, 170397, 170397, 170616, 164716, 165421, 167563, 160,541, 165718.

Judge Cottrell [nonjury]—162698, 168829, 167465, 171014, 171020, 168813, 169371, 165506, 169664, 169629, 161368, 164416, 164552, 171015, 164875, 162234, 168588, 165447, 165118, 173209, 165118, 166710.

Judge Bruggemeyer [nonjury]—159121, 163264, 167072, 170568, 164763, 164439, 164789, 170867, 169201, 166051, 169120, 164477, 139787, 167188, 160208.

Judge Girten [nonjury]—149524, 115554, 119176, 120184, 120183, 148869, 147961, 148946, 145863, 118572, 119192, 119065.

Judge Uhlir [nonjury]—138084, 138085, 138086, 138087, 139149, 145590.

Judge Gillan [nonjury]—146964.

Judge Walker [jury]—92178, 92293, 92296, 92297, 92317, 92332, 92334.

Judge Foster [jury]—200109, 77542, 167339, 159637, 92160, 134121, 137929, 3277, 39855, 200517, 200664, 92247, 167362, 167430, 166383, 94215, 200323, 91204, 138479, 94217, 12164, 92181, 39713, 139750, 164740, 149660.

Judge Fake [jury]—200924, 166646, 90682, 93029, 93316, 93317, 93318, 200984, 93251.

Judge Eberhardt [jury]—168321, 201072, 201081, 201086, 202028, 202032, 202027, 203030, 203032, 205047, 203060, 205066, 203075, 204046, 204047, 204052, 203053, 204064.

Judge Cleland [jury]—91201, 91202, 158272, 90711, 146717, 90754, 91189, 91191, 91198, 200220, 200254, 200818, 200446, 200610, 200718, 200771, 200793, 200931.

Judge Beitler [jury]—90337, 167618, 157371, 94194, 94204, 94250, 167222, 200731.

Judge Houston [jury]—141307, 92338, 167617, 92346, 93057, 93501, 93521, 93322, 149751, 163953, 167480, 200932, 201062, 201076, 202022, 201080.

Judge Blake [nonjury]—422119, 165384, 90344, 170668, 93374, 92248, 91171, 90780, 167424, 94209, 170772, 170626, 170627, 90798, 168619, 169705, 169494, 94263, 166884, 165994.

Judge Hume [nonjury]—148525, 161021, 372, 203044, 203045, 202041, 203077, 167088, 166335, 162796, 164183.

Judge Goodnow [nonjury]—41106, 41107, 40897, 40267, 40907, 40746, 34878, 40747, 40403, 40323, 152287, 41026, 40402, 165620, 40414, 41215, 169700.

Illinois Supreme Court Opinions.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Illinois Supreme court proceedings today were:

6829—Bennett vs. Chicago City Railway Co.; rehearing denied.

6748—Hocking vs. Southern Pacific Co.; rehearing denied.

6776—People vs. Bautenberg; motion by defendant to dismiss for want of prosecution allowed; writ error dismissed.

7030—Oughton vs. Ketcham et al.; motion by appellee to dismiss on short record with damages allowed; appeal dismissed with $50 damages.

6976—City of Pekin vs. Wetzel et al.; motion by plaintiffs for extension ten days to file abstracts and briefs denied; no reasons or affidavit in support of motion.

7012—Heimberger vs. Elliott Frog & Switch Co.; motion by petitioner for leave to file amended transcript allowed.

6712—Zimmerman vs. Zimmerman; motion by appellee to retax costs allowed; costs ordered retaxed, each party to pay one-half costs.

6580—People ex rel Stead vs. President and Trustees of the Commons of Haskaskia; rehearing denied.

6745—People vs. Well; rehearing denied.

6951—People vs. Allegretti et al.; motion by plaintiffs to consolidate this cause with 6940 Ritchie vs. Wayman et al. allowed; cause consolidated with case 6940.

6990—Village of River Forest vs. Chicago and Oak Park Elev. Ry.; motion by appellee to expunge from bill of exceptions the words indicating that bill of exceptions contains all the evidence in the case denied.

7031—Judd vs. Kethams et al.; motion by appellee to dismiss on short record with damages allowed; appeal dismissed with $50 damages.

7017—C., C. C. & St. L. Ry. Co. vs. Baxter, admr.; motion by petitioner for leave to file supplemental record allowed.

6960—People vs. Brooks; motion by plaintiff to continue denied; plaintiff in error given to and including Monday, Feb. 7 to file briefs and abstracts; motion by defendant to strike bill of exceptions from record denied.

6992—Town of Cicero vs. Haas; motion by appellant to advance and determine this cause with case 6947; opinion filed yesterday in 6947 rendered impossible allowance of this motion; case will keep its regular place on the docket.

6986—Bonney vs. Bonney; motion by respondent to dismiss petition for certiorari reason petitioner nonresident and no bond for security costs filed; bond costs has been filed, but no showing made therein as to responsibility of bondsmen as required by rules of this court; motion to dismiss denied at present and rules entered that security with sufficient showing as to responsibility be filed within five days; if not so filed motion to dismiss will be allowed.

6674—Abrahams vs. Woolley; rehearing denied.

7019—People vs. Freeman; motion by defendant to strike briefs of plaintiff in error from files denied.

7003—Evans et al. vs. Holman et al.; motion by appellants to strike cross errors from files denied.

6993—Chicago and Eastern Ill. R. R. Co. vs. Funucane; motion by petitioner for leave to file an amended petition for certiorari allowed.

6755—McCullough vs. Illinois Steel Co.; rehearing denied.

6949—Prairie Oil & Gas Co. vs. Ehrhardt; motion by appellee to file new briefs instanter allowed.

7010—City of Highland Park vs. McMullin; motion by appellant to continue allowed and case continued until April term.

7028—Stronberg vs. James & Co. Bank; motion by appellant for leave to file record, briefs and abstracts instanter and to continue cause to April term without prejudice to appeal denied; record should have been filed twenty days before first day of term; appeal dismissed.

6736—Duffy et al. vs. Duffy et al.; rehearing denied.

6971—Lassers vs. North German-Lloyd Steamship Co.; suggestion by appellant and motion for leave to supply denied.

7024—Walters et al. vs. Tite et al.; motion by appellant to substitute administrator de bonis non, to dismiss appeal, and for leave to withdraw transcript; administrator de bonis non substituted as appellant, appeal dismissed and leave given to withdraw transcript on leaving copy certified by the clerk of this court.

Adjourned until 9 a. m. tomorrow.

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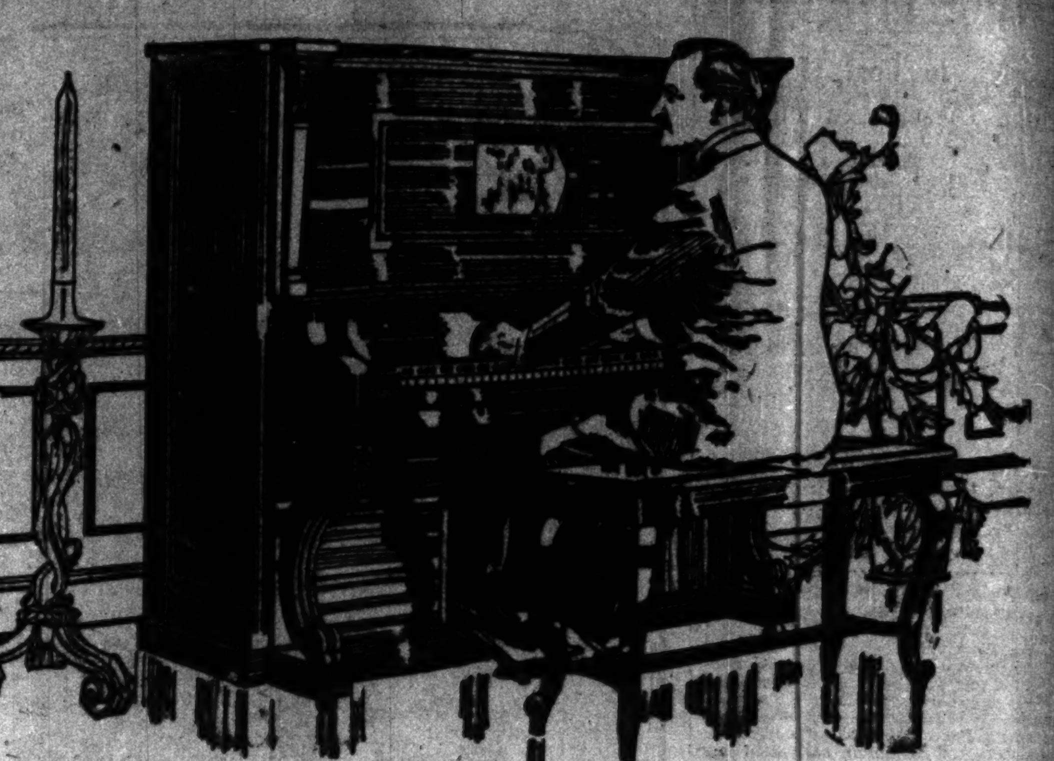

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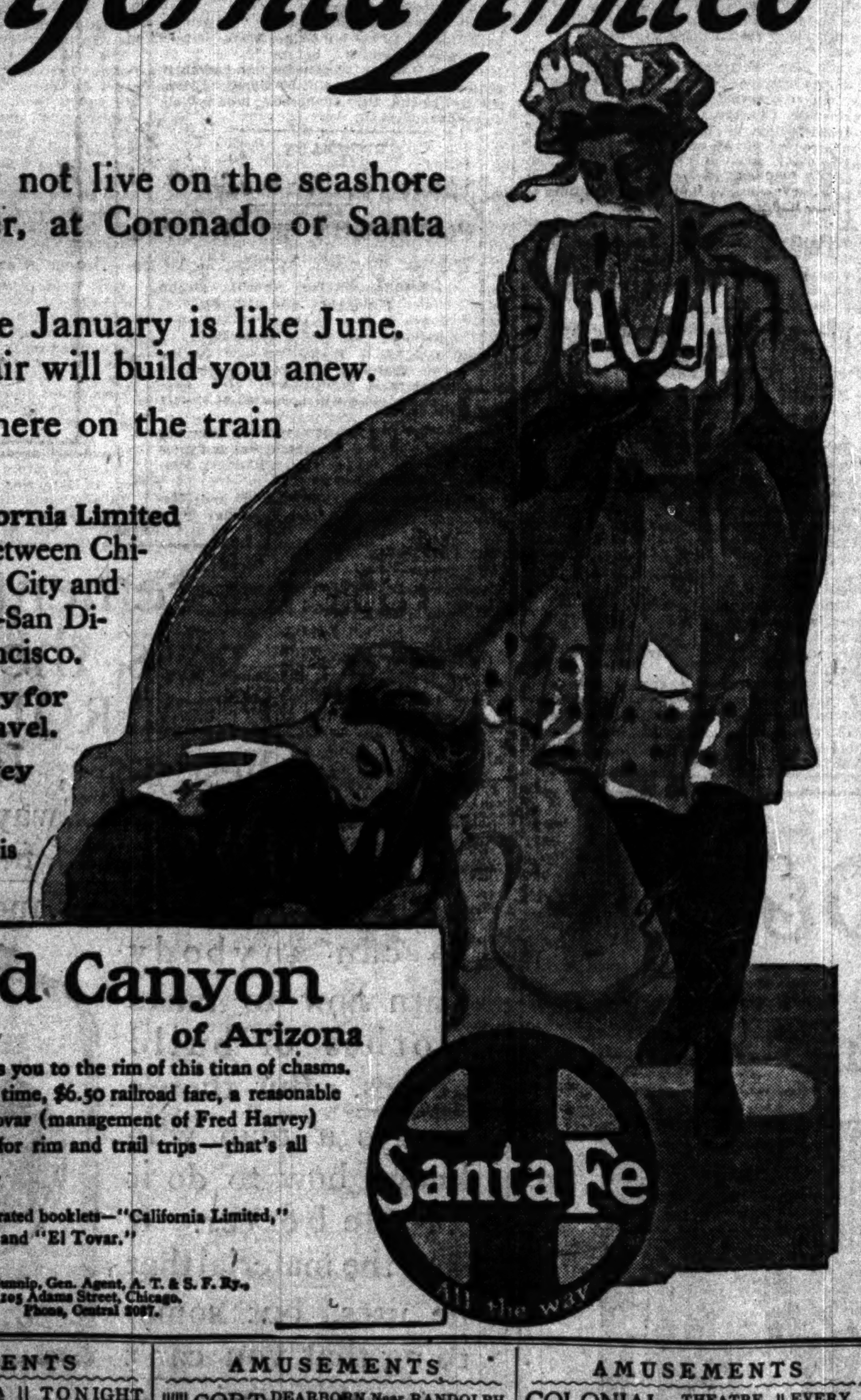

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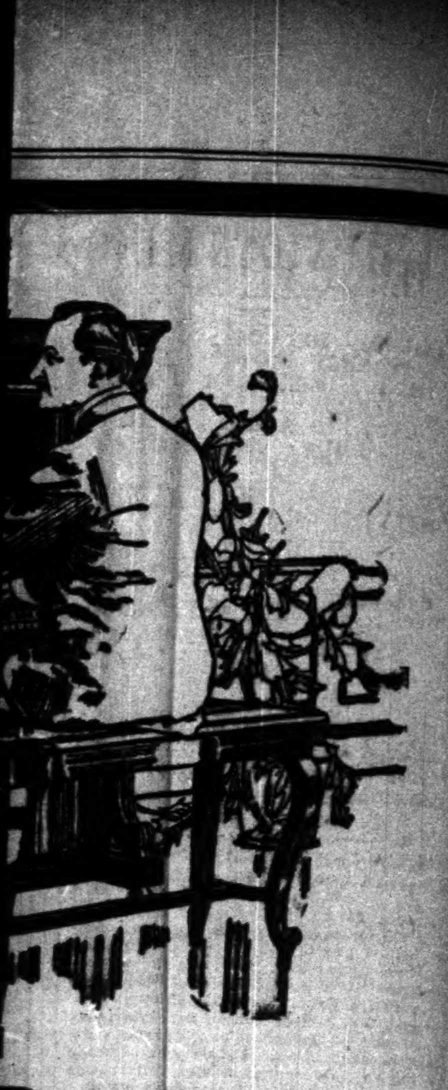

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STREETS OF PARIS HUGE FLOOD RUIN

Wreckage Covers River Districts and There Are Many Perilous Pits.

GUARD AGAINST SCOURGE.

Americans Generous Beyond All Others in Contributions for Relief.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—As the flood recedes the streets of Paris present a deplorable condition. Miles of them in the districts along the Seine are covered with wreckage and slime, and in many places there are dangerous pits.

In the last twenty-four hours the river has fallen from two to three feet, but below Paris there are several feet of water, and boats are to be seen everywhere carrying relief to the sufferers.

Contributions are coming in from every point, and the Americans here, as well as those in their own country, have been generous beyond all others. Rodman Wanamaker has offered through the American ambassador to supply one loaf of bread for every flood victim in Paris each day for one month. Large money subscriptions have been received from many Americans. Ambassador Bacon has turned over $120,000 to the French government.

Not taking into account foreign contributions to the relief fund, or the $400,000 appropriated by the French parliament, the total French subscription exceeds $800,000. Collections in the Catholic churches have amounted to $60,000. The government will apply to parliament for more appropriations.

Precautions Against Scourge.

Every precautionary measure has been taken to prevent a scourge, and the health authorities are sanguine that the danger of an epidemic of any disease except typhoid is a negligible quantity.

Typhoid is always endemic in France, due to the polluted water supply. Nevertheless, with the warnings issued against drinking unboiled water, it is hoped to avoid this danger.

The government has instructed prefects and provincial authorities to enforce the most rigid disinfection as the water recedes. Already large quantities of chloride of lime, quicklime, and other disinfectants have been employed, and immense supplies have been concentrated in depots in Paris for free distribution.

John Burns, president of the British local government board, before starting for England today, said he was convinced that there will be no epidemic, because, in addition to the sanitary precautions, there is great safety in the amount of water the Seine carries, which washes away infectious deposits.

Stations Still Surrounded.

The Lyons and Austerlitz stations still are surrounded by water and the tracks of the Orleans and Invalides stations are submerged. The water is receding from the warehouses at Bercy Quai. The losses there alone are estimated at $800,000.

It probably will be several weeks before Ambassador Bacon can return to his residence, the basement of which is flooded.

Section after section of the underground railway is reopening, but it perhaps will be six weeks before the whole line can be used. Other railways, except the Northern, still are much disorganized. The telegraph lines are in poor shape and messages are greatly delayed.

The prefect of police has forbidden the throwing of confetti at the carnival celebrations next week lest it block the sewers. Anybody who has seen the amazing quantities of confetti strewn at fete times on the boulevards and left to be washed into the drains by the scavengers will not wonder at the police order. Some of the newspapers are urging that the carnival celebrations be abandoned and money ordinarily spent on them be devoted to the sufferers.

No Flood at All in Venice.

VENICE, Feb. 2.—Inquiries from abroad concerning stories printed in America purporting to describe a flood in this city have caused surprise and amusement. The city of canals has not been so much as threatened with damage.

Last week the lagoons rose a few inches, the waters reaching the lowest part of the Piazza of St. Mark. After a few hours the waters receded. This sort of a rise is a matter of annual occurrence.

Kaiser Donates $5,000.

BERLIN, Feb. 2.—Emperor William today donated $5,000 for the relief of the flood victims in Paris and sent a telegram of sympathy to the French government. His delay in contributing seems to have been due to doubt as to whether German help was desired or would be accepted.

CONGRESS MAY BE MERCIFUL AND ALLOW CADETS TO HAZE.

"Harmless Antics" Possibly Will Be Permitted if New Legislation Is Enacted—Negro Fails in Examinations.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Joy is expressed by the younger army officers on duty at Washington over the abolition of the harmless hazing rules. They say that life at West Point will again be worth suffering for. They maintain that all the hazing done there would not hurt a child and that only weaklings protest against it.

It is expected that safe and sane regulations governing hazing will be passed by congress. Briggs of New Jersey and Du Pont of Delaware, both graduates of West Point, have the matter in tow in the senate, while Howell of New Jersey has it under way in the house.

Ollie Smith of Cheyenne, the negro boy who passed second in the competitive examination for cadet at West Point, and received the appointment as first alternate from Senator Clark of Wyoming, will not enjoy the privilege of entering the academy.

Joseph Palmer, who passed third in the competitive examination, was the only one of the three who made the entrance examination for West Point.

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DEATHS.

[For other death notices see page 15.]

HIGHLEY—William John Highley, Feb. 2, 1910, aged 86 years. Funeral services Friday, Feb. 4, at 2 p. m., at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Henrietta Dumas, 4122 Lake-av. Carriages to Graceland cemetery.

HOOD—Herbert D. Hood, aged 29 years, Feb. 1, 1910, beloved foster son of Mrs. Catherine Maguire and foster brother of Miss Mary Maguire, Mrs. Wessendorf, Harry, Fred, John, Arthur, and Frank Maguire. Funeral from late residence, [illegible] Montana-st., Friday, Feb. 4, 2 p. m., to St. Clemens church, thence by carriages to St. Boniface cemetery. Whitby, Toronto, and Kingston, Canada, papers please copy.

PARMELE—Mildred Isabel and Miriam Louise Parmele, aged 7 yrs. 7 mo. and 12 days, at [illegible] N. 44th-av., beloved twin daughters of David A. and Isabel G. Parmele, nee Panner, beloved sister of Everett G., and beloved granddaughter of Mary I. Panner. Funeral at First Baptist church of Irving Park, Thursday, Feb. 3, at 2 p. m.; by carriages to Mount Olive.

Our darlings, two, so good and true,
So patient, kind, and meek;
Absolved from earth, but not from mirth;
Angelic home doth seek.

THOMAS—Jane Honor Thomas, beloved wife of F. W. Thomas, mother of Jessie, Nora, Genevieve, and Marie at her residence, [illegible] 44th-st. Funeral services at St. Ambrose's church, Saturday, 10 a. m. Interment at Mount Olivet. Darlington, Wis., and Hinckley and Sandwich, Ill., papers please copy.

WENTWORTH—Martial W. Wentworth, Feb. 2, 1910, beloved husband of Carrie Wentworth at 3317 Wabash-av. Burial at Perth Amboy, N. J.

CANADA STILL WAITS FOR U.S.

Laurier Government Determined Not to Break Tariff Ice.

ALASKA STOLEN BY RUSS?

Document Said by Senator to Show It Belongs to Dominion.

[CHICAGO TRIBUNE BUREAU.]

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Pressure from the opposition forces and hints that Washington expects some advances have failed to move the Laurier cabinet from its position regarding the American-Canadian tariff situation. It is stated tonight by leading members of the cabinet that under no circumstances will Canada make any advances to the United States for a discussion or negotiations to clear up the differences now existing under the operation of the French treaty.

This statement is brought forth by the suggestion which recently has come from the American side that the Washington officials expect some proposition to come from Canada. Acting on this, some of the leading papers opposed to the government, including the Toronto Mail and Empire, assert that the government should suggest to Washington some means by which the difficulties could be smoothed over.

The attitude of the Canadian government evidently is misunderstood to a certain extent in the United States. There will be no advances from this side of the line.

Laurier Men Will Stand Pat.

Though anxious to prevent a tariff war and to maintain the present increasing trade movement, the Laurier government is determined to undertake no discussion of affairs with the United States unless the latter government opens the way. This attitude will be maintained even to the end of producing a tariff war.

The precipitation of such hostilities would subject this government to immediate attack from the opposition party and press for having neglected to make terms with its American neighbors. This is made clear by the attitude of the Toronto paper mentioned, which says:

"If, by communicating courteously with the Washington authorities, the dominion government can obtain the benefit of the United States minimum tariff, it should not hesitate to take proper notice of the fact that two lists of countries are being made up by the United States government, one comprising the countries to be favored, and the other of the countries to be discriminated against.

"There would be no sacrifice of national dignity in pointing out that as Canada gives the United States more than the equivalent of the latter's minimum tariff, and makes no discrimination whatever against the United States, Canadian products are entitled to admission into the United States at the minimum tariff rates."

Says Alaska Was Stolen.

According to a statement made in the senate today by Senator Poirier, recent revelations indicate that Russia stole the Alaska and Pacific coast line from Canada. This act, Poirier said, was revealed by a document recently verified at Sitka and forwarded to the governor general at Ottawa.

The document was one of instructions to a Russian officer so late as 1826 to make a secret expedition and bury along the coast tablets indicating discovery possession by Russia at a far earlier date. In this way Russia was able to establish her claim to Alaska, which afterward was sold to the United States for $7,200,000.

Investigate Nickel Trust.

The investigation of an alleged monopoly in the production of nickel was begun by the parliamentary mineral commission today. A. P. Turner, president of the Canadian Copper company, which is the Canadian end of the International Nickel company of New Jersey, declared that the International is not a trust.

President Turner said that it was not the company's policy to limit production. It was seeking in every way to enlarge the market so that it might take a small percentage of profit from a large turnover.

ANNA GOULD DUCHESS' DEBTOR.

Dowager Loaned $342,995 to Countess Castellane to Help Build "Louis XIV." Palace.

New York, Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The princess de Sagan's indebtedness of $342,995 to the aged dowager duchess de Noailles was for money borrowed on a mortage on the château du Marais, the former Anna Gould summer home near Paris.

This item, among the millions in the claims of 120 creditors that are being settled by the Gould family, was the strangest of all the debts contracted by the Princess Anna and her first husband, Count Boni de Castellane.

The dowager duchess was interested in anything relating to Louis XIV., and when she learned that work had been stopped on the Castellane's palace, which was a copy of the Louis XIV. Versailles palace, because of lack of funds, she sent for Countess Anna and offered her the money.

TURKEY PREPARES TO FIGHT GREECE

Attendance of Cretans at National Meeting Deemed Cause for Warfare.

EUROPE IN HOT WATER.

Russian Diplomat Declares Conflict Is a Question of Short Time.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 2.—It is stated that the government has informed the powers protecting Crete that if the Cretans go to the Greek national assembly it will be regarded by the porte as a casus belli.

Among the many warlike statements current today are the assertions that part of the army of Epirus and the Third army corps at Salonika are ready to cross the frontier and enter the plain of Larissa. The Turkish fleet also is ready to start for Piræus. The reservists have been called to the colors.

Greece Amazed at Anger.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ATHENS, Feb. 2.—A semi-official note has been issued expressing astonishment at Turkey's anxieties because of the summoning of the Greek national assembly. The note describes the assembly as a revisionist body, convened to deal with the internal situation created by the recent events. The convocation of the assembly strongly commended itself to the government because it would defer the parliamentary elections, which might have given the Cretans an opportunity to realize their intention of sending deputies to the Athenian parliament.

The note further states that the new cabinet is following a moderate and absolutely reserved policy, and that it is animated by the most pacific spirit. It concludes:

"It seems impossible to explain the commotion excited by the decision to summon the assembly, which removes from the acute stage the question of sending Cretan deputies to Athens."

The newspaper Acropolis makes a remarkable attack on Sir Francis Elliot, the British minister, alleging that he is encouraging the king's antipathy to the national assembly. It adds: "Happily, the king's patriotism has caused him to reflect and accept what all Greece desires."

London Sees Great Peril.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Should the Cretans attempt to send delegates to the Hellenic national assembly, convoked by King George, which would be considered as a serious threat to peace in the near east, or in any other way disturb the status quo, international troops will be relanded on the island.

One of the conditions under which the troops were withdrawn was that the Cretans should take no steps against the sovereignty of Turkey. The sending of delegates to the Greek assembly would be a breach of the agreement.

The danger is not considered imminent, however, as the national assembly is not expected to meet for months, and the responsible Greeks and Cretans have reassured the powers that they will do nothing to disturb the peace. Nevertheless the countries interested in the Balkans are exchanging views.

Several ambassadors and ministers today conferred with Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary, on the subject, and every possible precaution is being taken to prevent irresponsible persons from stirring up trouble.

RICH YOUTH TO WED POOR GIRL.

Heir to Millions Takes Out License—Bride Works as Weaver in Mill.

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Marion Victor McKay, son of the wealthy shoe machinery manufacturer of Boston, New York, and Newport, who at his death left $5,000,000 to Harvard, took out a marriage license in the city clerk's office this morning to wed Miss Ida Florence Mitchell, formerly a weaver in one of the local mils.

The bride, who gives her age as 23, is a tall, statuesque, and prepossessing young woman.

Her father is a wool sorter in the Arlington mills. She was graduated from the Lawrence High school in 1904.

HEIKE MAKES IMMUNITY PLEA.

Secretary of American Sugar Company Seeks to Evade Prosecution on Charge of Cheating Government.

New York, Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Charles R. Heike, secretary of the American Sugar Refining company, appeared before Judge Martin in the federal Circuit court today in support of his claim of immunity from prosecution on the indictment charging him and five other employés of the sugar trust in the conspiracy to defraud the government. Judge Martin reserved decision until Friday.

MADRIZ GUARDS AN AMERICAN

Nicaraguan President Seeks to Prevent Harm to Officer.

SEES REBELS CUT OFF.

Government Alleges Victory Over Force of Estradans.

BY R. W. EMERSON.

[STAFF CORRESPONDENT OF THE TRIBUNE.]

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Jan. 31.—[Special.]—Madriz has ordered a detective detailed to protect the American vice consul, Henry Caldera, on account of Caldera's story of an encounter with a man. Caldera said he thought the man had a knife. Later Caldera declared his intention of making an official denial. Caldera today admitted to Madriz the same story he told THE TRIBUNE correspondent.

Caldera told Madriz the incident was inconsequential, but Madriz will protect Caldera anyway.

Madriz says the government has cut off a thousand revolutionists from communication with Bluefields. The government claims two prisoners.

All cables filed must pass the hands of Madriz, so the correspondents are certain to transmit only correct reports.

One thousand government troops and artillery went tonight to Tipitapa, twenty-five miles east of Managua, a strategic point commanding the access to Managua. The government officials say they expect to defeat the thousand exhausted revolutionists.

ZELAYA SEEKS NEW REVOLT?

New Orleans, La., Feb. 2.—That Zelaya, deposed president of Nicaragua, is going to Europe to foment a revolution against Estrada Cabrera, president of Guatemala, is the assertion of Gen. Alfonso Gallardo, formerly of the Honduran army, who is in New Orleans. Zelaya sailed from Vera Cruz for Belgium yesterday.

JURY IN VAUGHN INQUIRY DECIDES AGAINST AUTOPSY.

Opinion Is Not a Verdict, However, as Adjournment Is Taken Until Feb. 15 to Await Possible Action.

Monroe City, Mo., Feb. 2.—The coroner's jury impaneled yesterday to investigate the sudden death of Prof. J. T. Vaughn at Kirksville last October adjourned tonight after deciding there was not sufficient evidence that the deceased came to his death from poisoning to warrant an autopsy.

This opinion was not a verdict, however, the jury adjourning at 10 o'clock tonight until Feb. 15, to await a possible autopsy.

Coroner Wilson, immediately after the delivering of the opinion of the jury, ordered an autopsy on the body for tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock, and it is apparent that a legal conflict between the families of Vaughn and Mrs. Vaughn is imminent.

New Conference in Swope Case.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 2.—Virgil Conkling, county prosecutor; J. G. Paxton, executor of the Swope estate; and James A. Reed, an attorney, who have been in Chicago conferring with the specialists relative to the Swope mystery, arrived here today and conferred with members of the Swope family. Nothing developed to indicate that radical action was imminent.

TWO PERSONS INDICTED IN PEOPLE'S MUTUAL LIFE CASE.

President and Secretary of Insurance Company Accused in Deal Involving Lieut. Gov. White.

Syracuse, N. Y., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The grand jury today reported indictments for perjury against Iram C. Reed, president, and Willard H. Peck, secretary of the People's Mutual Life Insurance association and league.

With the indictments the grand jury presented a memorandum to Justice W. S. Andrews, in which the indignation of the jurors was expressed at the state of affairs revealed by the investigation. The report stated indictments for larceny could not be legally justified, because there was no evidence to show that the money distributed by Lieut. Gov. Horace White was the money of the People's Mutual.

Both the indicted men pleaded not guilty. The indictments accuse the men of having perjured themselves in the testimony they gave at the recent hearing regarding the liability of the insurance society on contracts they made with the society six years ago.

FOUR ARE HELD IN SMUGGLING PLOT

Two New Arrests Show Opium Was Brought to Chicago Via El Paso, Tex.

CONSPIRACY LAID IN JAIL

Men Who Served Prison Terms for Bringing In Chinamen Suspected as Leaders.

Two additional arrests in Chicago yesterday, following closely on those of a Chinaman and a white woman, disclosed what is believed by government authorities to be an extensive opium smuggling conspiracy.

The plot involves the smuggling of opium on a large scale across the Mexican border at El Paso, Tex. More arrests are expected to be made in Chicago and in Texas, as a consequence of the investigations being made. Wealthy Chinamen are believed to be engineers of the scheme.

The conspirators who were prosecuted before Judge Landis a year ago for wholesale smuggling of Chinamen across the border from Juarez, Mexico, are declared to be involved in the newly discovered plot. Three of them, Robert Stephenson, Robert Clarke, and John Hetzel, who pleaded guilty in the old case and got short bridewell sentences, are believed to be in or near El Paso.

Four Under Arrest in Chicago.

The four now under arrest in Chicago are:

Charley Yee, keeper of a Chinese restaurant at 119 Madison street.

Yee F. Same, alias "George Hill," a Chinese head waiter in the restaurant of Chow Gah Hong, State and Adams streets.

Hortense Webb, keeper of a resort at 2126 Armour avenue.

R. J. Prest, a railway brakeman, 629 Alma street, Austin.

The arrests of the Webb woman and Charley Yee were made more than two weeks ago, but not until yesterday did the El Paso end of the case come to light. Warrants for Yee F. Same and the brakeman were at once issued by United States Commissioner Mark A. Foote.

The complaints were signed by George P. Locke and J. J. Sepple, special agents for the treasury department, who have been investigating the case.

Prest's bond was fixed at $2,500 and that of the Chinaman at $5,000. Unable to furnish bail, both were locked up in the county jail.

New Plot Hatched in County Jail?

Prest is accused of having brought from El Paso one consignment of opium, forty-four cans, valued at $1,500.

When Hetzel, Stephenson, and Clarke were released from prison last fall they are said to have been in communication with Bob Leung, a rich restaurant keeper and one of the old conspirators still serving a sentence, through Yee F. Same. When a number of talks in the Chinese language had been held in the county jail between the Chinese head waiter and the El Paso restaurant owner there is said to have been a meeting of Yee F. Same in the State street restaurant with one or more of the released trio: Stephenson, Hetzel, and Clark. The three Americans are declared to have subsequently left Chicago for El Paso.

Bob Leung engineered the smuggling of Chinamen across the border at El Paso and got $500 a head from each man brought in. Many of them were brought to Chicago in the linen closets of dining cars by Stephenson, Clarke, Hetzel, and others, who were railway employés. Hetzel was a Pullman car conductor. Prest, it is declared, had worked as a brakeman with Hetzel.

PLAYWRIGHTS GET $140,000.

English Dramatic Authors' Agent Defrauded Barrie, Conan Doyle, Hornung, and Others.

LONDON Feb. 2.—An extraordinary story of how Sir A. Conan Doyle, J. M. Barrie, E. W. Hornung, and other popular playwrights were defrauded of large amounts due them as royalties was related today before Justice Warrington in an action involving the estate of the late Addison Bright, a dramatic authors' agent, who acted for the playwrights named.

Bright died in May, 1906. Shortly after Hornung saw a paragraph in a newspaper saying that his play, "Raffles," had been presented more than 1,000 times in America. He had received royalties for nothing like that number.

An investigation ensued, in which Barrie and Doyle took part, which resulted in the discovery that Bright fraudulently had retained $140,000 belonging to them, all of which since has been paid by Bright's executors.

Bank Employes Are Dined.

The third annual banquet for the employés of the City National bank, with D. R. Forgan, president, the host, was held last night at the Midday club in the First National Bank building.

Scratch this on the Slate With a Nail.

Some paid managers of the great Labor Trust do not seem satisfied to rest on their past record of tyrannies to their own members, to other working men, and to the public at large, but they seek to add to their long list of villainous acts.

On Sunday, January 2nd, 1910, The Chicago Federation of Labor allowed to pass to the press a statement that three carloads of empty peanut shucks were found in a railroad wreck and were consigned to our Company.

That statement was a willful, malicious lie made from whole cloth.

It was inspired by the usual hate for everyone not under the yoke of the Labor Trust.

It is a favorite method of the average "Jawsmith"—the noisy ones in the unions—when confronted with facts regarding the assaults, destruction of property, and other crimes (too often including murder), to concoct and put out deliberate falsehoods.

This attack on the business of the Postum Cereal Co. is a good illustration.

They have tried for years to boycott the products, ruin the business and take away the living of our faithful employees (about 1,000 persons).

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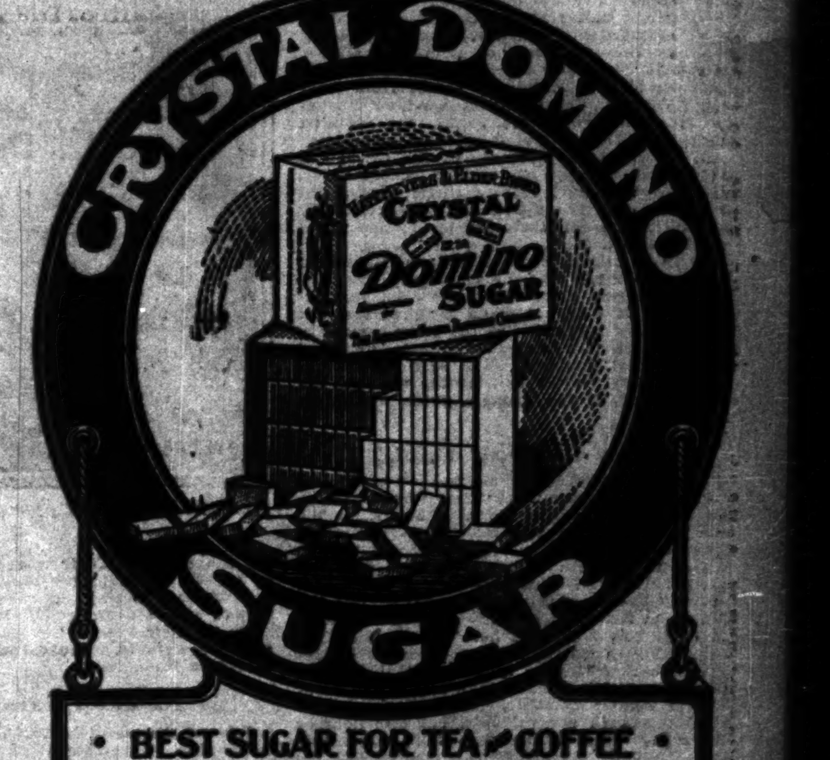

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Society, Clubs, Entertainments.

Events in Society.

MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR ALDIS came in from Lake Forest yesterday to remain at the Bryan Lathrop residence while Mr. and Mrs. Lathrop are in the Madeira islands. Spring changes, in fact, have begun, and, indeed, summer's plans are being made. Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Chatfield-Taylor, for instance, are expecting to leave for Europe in June, and have rented their Lake Forest residence to Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Moore for next summer. Mrs. Moore will leave this evening for Pasadena to spend the spring and later Mr. Moore will join her there.

Mr. and Mrs. V. K. Spicer, who moved from Kenilworth to Canada a year or more ago, have written Chicago friends of their intention to return. They will reach here in April and will have possession of their house at Kenilworth on May 1.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Spoor expect to leave on Sunday for Bermuda. Arthur Young has come in from Lake Forest and is staying at the University club, and Eames MacVeagh, another resident of this club, returned from Washington on Monday after having spent a month with his parents, Secretary and Mrs. Franklin MacVeagh.

Invitations will be issued this week for the art review to be given at the residence of Mrs. Potter Palmer, 1355 Lake Shore drive, Friday afternoon, Feb. 11, by the reform department of the Chicago Woman's club. The proceeds will be added to the Chicago Woman's club cottage fund for the Illinois Industrial School for Girls.

The art gallery will be open from 3 to 6 o'clock and there will be an address on art, followed by a program of music. Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Frederick L. Upton, president of the Woman's club, and Mrs. Wilbur S. Jackman, chairman of the reform department, will receive the guests, and there will be a large number of assistants through the rooms and at the tea tables. Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Jackman, Mrs. George Plummer, Mrs. Leroy A. Goddard, Mrs. Henry Solomon, Mrs. Charles Hitchcock, Mrs. George Rass, Mrs. Frederick K. Tracy, and Mrs. Edgar Sisson form the committee in charge of the arrangements.

The need for more cottages for the Industrial school girls on the forty acre farm at Park Ridge has caused the Woman's club to authorize the chairman of its various departments to open subscription lists to the end that a model cottage may be erected to be known as the Chicago Woman's club cottage. Mrs. Palmer, as a member of the reform department and of the committee representing that department, has shown her interest in the work by subscribing over a thousand dollars to the various needs of the school during the last few months, and now gives the use of her house and personally aids the art review.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Hopkins, 215 South Elmwood avenue, Oak Park, announce the coming marriage of their sister, Miss Ellery Louise Clark, to Montresor Augustus Adair of Chicago, which will take place at their residence Wednesday evening, Feb. 9, at 8 o'clock. Frank Allen Fraser of Milwaukee will be the best man and Miss Louise Cutter of Eau Claire, Wis., will serve as maid of honor. Miss Mabel B. Stackus of Skanneateles, N. Y., an old time friend of the bride and groom, will play the wedding march.

The marriage of Miss Bess Ethel Lamos and Harry J. Buechler took place last night at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Miller, 6921 Euclid avenue. The Rev. R. O. Cooper of Riverside performed the ceremony. Miss Mildred Kerr was the maid of honor and Miss Clara Perry the bridesmaid, while the ribbons were stretched by Miss Kathryn Koch, Miss Beth Clark, Miss Edna Buechler, and Miss Lillian Kent. Norman Buechler was the best man. The bride's gown was of ivory satin with pearls and her veil was of tulle. Mr. and Mrs. Buechler will be at home after March 1 at 1512 East Sixty-sixth street.

The marriage of Miss Eleanor Marion Chase, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira B. Chase, 5013 Grand boulevard, and Tom Anthony Moore was celebrated at the family residence at 8 o'clock last night. Miss Margaret Chase was the maid of honor and Reid Butler was the best man. The bride wore a simple gown of lingerie with Irish crochet and the maid of honor was in pink marquisette over pink satin. Mr. and Mrs. Moore will take a southern trip and be at home after May 15 at 1375 East Fifty-fourth street.

Mrs. Henrietta Holmes Robertson

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Noble, 1320 Asbury avenue, Evanston, announce the engagement of their daughter Pam Noble to Charles Brennen Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Roenitz, 5455 East End avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Severa Annette, to Walter L. Hempelmann, son of Dr. and Mrs. Henry Hempelmann of St. Louis.

Mrs. J. B. Waller will give a small dinner this evening for Mrs. E. S. Worthington.

John M. Carson and Miss Irene Ratto, 6446 Jackson avenue, were married yesterday morning at the Church of the Holy Cross, Roman Catholic.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice L. Rothschild will leave on Feb. 8 for a thirty days' trip through Mexico, California, and to the Grand cañon of the Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Greenhut of New York, Mr. and Mrs. David Simon of Minneapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Melville N. Rothschild of Chicago will accompany them as their guests.

Mrs. Charles F. Elmes and Miss Bessie Elmes, 2922 Prairie avenue, have gone to Florida.

Mrs. George R. Caldwell of 200 Home avenue, Oak Park, was hostess at the valentine card party and afternoon tea yesterday at the Oak Park club. Mrs. A. S. Terrill, Mrs. A. B. Melville, Mrs. J. Fred Butler, and Mrs. Frances E. Dillon poured, and the young women assisting Mrs. Caldwell were Miss Estelle Hebard, Miss Jessie Van Bergen, Miss Genevieve White, Miss Jean Storke, Miss Helen Beye, Miss Florence Butler, and Miss Hazel Prahman. Mrs. William H. Cotter presided over the tea tables.

Society at Nation's Capital.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The president and Mrs. Taft, accompanied by Mrs. Charles Anderson and Capt. Archibald Butt, went to Baltimore tonight to attend the performance of "La Gioconda" by the Metropolitan opera company. They returned on the midnight train.

Miss Ethel Roosevelt was a guest at a young people's dinner tonight given by Representative and Mrs. Longworth, with whom she is staying. They later attended a bachelors' German. Miss Roosevelt was entertained at luncheon by Mrs. Beekman Winthrop, wife of the assistant secretary of the navy.

The vice president and Mrs. Sherman were guests of honor at a dinner given tonight by Representative and Mrs. Weeks.

Astor's Granddaughter Marries.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Miss Caroline Astor Drayton of New York, daughter of J. Coleman Drayton and granddaughter of the late William Astor, today became the wife of William Phillips, secretary of the American embassy. The parish church at Rogate, Sussex, was the scene of the wedding ceremony, which was attended by a large party of relatives and friends. The Rev. Canon Edgar Sheppard, subdean of the Chapels Royal, officiated.

The bride, who was unattended either by bridemaids or pages, wore a beautiful costume of white satin with a veil of old lace. The single ornament was a rope of pearls, the gift of her father. Mr. Phillips was accompanied by his brother John.

Following the ceremony at the church a reception was held at "Nyewood house," the home of Capt. T. F. Warren, a friend of the Draytons.

Meetings and Entertainments.

Miss Edna Nell of Oak Park is to present a dance of her own, which she calls "A Spring Symphony," at the Fine Arts society's midwinter festival in the Warrington Opera house, Oak Park, on the evening of Thursday, Feb. 17. The stage setting for the dance is to be of cherry blossoms. Miss Nell's costume will be of her own design.

Miss Eloise Erwin and Miss Marjorie Powell will give a Bohemian rhapsody, arranged by themselves, and, with Hinman Root and Stillman Noyes, will appear in a Bohemian folk dance.

Proceeds of the entertainment will go to the fund for Oak Park's public parks and playgrounds. Mrs. Samuel Ware Packard, Mrs. Belle W. Melville, Mrs. C. E. Roberts, Mrs. Charles E. White Jr., and Mrs. George W. Trout will be patronesses.

The Co-workers' society will give its fourth annual benefit dance at the Chicago Hebrew institute on the night of Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12.

The People's hospital charity ball will be held at the Seventh regiment armory, Thirty-fourth street and Wentworth avenue, Saturday evening. Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis, Mrs. Jessie Gates, and Mrs. Josephine Orlee are in charge.

Senior class of the University of Illinois medical college will give a dance in honor of Dean William B. Quine at the West End Woman's club this evening.

Park Avenue Methodist church men's council will meet tomorrow evening for an address by Judge McKenzie Cleland on "The Fool Taxpayer." Ledru Treider will sing.

St. James' Methodist church young men's bible class offer a free illustrated lecture on "The Land of the Midnight Sun" by Dr. Charles B. Mitchell at the church, Forty-sixth street and Ellis avenue, this evening.

St. Agnes' guild of St. Simon's Episcopal church will give a vaudeville entertainment at the parish house, Leland and Pemberton avenues, this evening. Miss Emilie von Schottka and Miss Mildred Wurtele will take part.

United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet on Saturday at 2 p. m. in the La Salle hotel.

The Gaelic society will meet on Sunday at 3 p. m. in room 1706 of the Auditorium tower for a literary and musical program.

Among the New Books

William Winter's Life of Mansfield.

BY JEANNETTE L. GILDER.

READERS of William Winter's recollections of an actor, published a year or so ago, will remember that he said in his preface that he was going to write a life of Richard Mansfield, and that it would be the authorized life of Mansfield. This made a special impression on my mind for the reason that almost at the same time Mr. Paul Wilstach's life of Mansfield was published. Mr. Wilstach in his preface claimed the authorization of Mrs. Mansfield and, more than that, that she had helped him in his work. Mr. Winter spoke so confidently that there was evidence that he was pretty sure of his position as the authorized biographer of the talented actor, whose intimate friend he had been for many, many years.

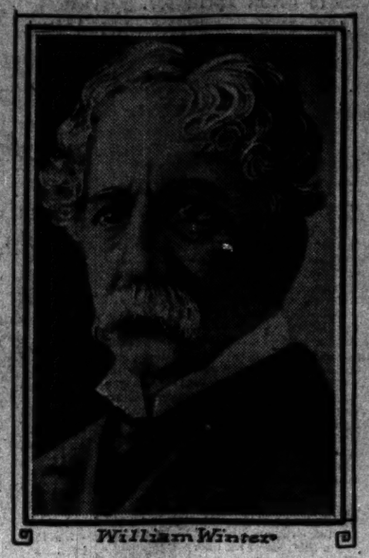
On Tuesday next Mr. Winter's "LIFE AND ART OF RICHARD MANSFIELD," with selections from his letters, will be published in two volumes by Messrs. Moffat, Yard & Co. I have the advance sheets before me, and I can assure the readers of THE TRIBUNE that Mr. Winter has written an unusual book, and one whose every page is well worth reading. Not the least interesting part of this book is the author's preface, which he begins with the statement, "Richard Mansfield earnestly requested me to write his LIFE. I promised to do so, and this book is the fulfillment of my promise." Mr. Winter's acquaintance with Mansfield extended over a period of about twenty-five years and during the greater part of that time their association was that of intimate friendship, "only once seriously disturbed, and then only for a little while, although more than once he became incensed with me, and frankly, even rudely, expressed his dissatisfaction." Mr. Winter, although the intimate friend of Mansfield, has not painted him as a saint nor yet altogether as a sinner; he has painted the man as he was, and as every one who knew him well knew him to be. To quote again from the preface:

> He was a man of unquiet, undisciplined, impulsive, imperious mind, intent on personal aggrandisement, the acquisition of wealth and fame, and he was so impatient of delay in the fulfillment of his purposes that he scarcely ever allowed a moment of peace either to himself or any person near him; but, while he was sometimes a trial to patience, he was essentially a practical exemplar of devotion to high ideals, an active instrument of virtuous intellectual force, and therefore a potent, influential character, worthy of respect and sympathy in life, and of thoughtful commemoration, now that he has passed away. Such commemoration it is the design of this memoir to provide.

The story of Mansfield's life is fairly well known through other writers, but it has not been so well told as by Mr. Winter. It is the story

> Of a man of aspiring genius, who, during many years and against many obstacles, strove for the achievement of noble results in the administration of the theater; gained brilliant victories; encountered grievous disappointments; and, after a gallant struggle, died, exhausted in the endless contest that seeks to make intellect triumphant over materialism and the great art of acting a prime incentive to refined civilization, and, therefore, to public happiness. That chronicle involves narrative of varied and picturesque theatrical industry, analysis of a singularly complex and interesting personality, and the presentment of an example of endeavor, endurance, persistence, and fidelity that ought to prove instructive and stimulative, especially to every sincere votary of the stage.

While writing this biography Mr. Winter has been admonished of what Macaulay said, that "biographers, and indeed all persons who employ themselves in illustrating the lives of others, are peculiarly disposed to the disease of admiration." Mr. Winter has extenuated nothing nor set down aught in malice. He has allowed Mr. Mansfield to speak for himself as often as possible through the medium of his letters. To Mr. Winter, and to members of his family, Mansfield wrote nearly 600 letters, "many of which, because confidential, have been destroyed, but many of which, because intrinsically interesting, have been preserved." In some instances, where persons referred to are living, their names have been omitted, "for while it has been my purpose," writes Mr. Winter, "to depict Mansfield as he was, it has been my earnest desire to avoid causing pain or just resentment. Mansfield, in his condemnation of individuals, was sometimes more explicit than judicious; on other occasions his justice was not less commendable than his candor."



William Winter

It seems that Mrs. Mansfield has also helped Mr. Winter, as well as having helped Mr. Wilstach, for he says that to her courtesy he is "indebted for use of the originals of various illustrations with which these volumes are embellished," and, like many others, he is indebted to Mr. Evert Jansen Wendell for the permission to draw on his unusual collection of dramatic annals and relics for illustrative matter.

From the day of his first meeting, when the actor was first introduced to the critic by the late Col. E. A. Buck, the famous bon vivant and editor of the Spirit of the Times, until near the day of his death Mansfield habitually consulted Mr. Winter relative to his schemes and ventures, and, referring to his professional career, it pleased him to say, "I am your dramatic godson." His authorization for the biography which Mr. Winter has written was expressed in these words:

> "I wonder if you would care to undertake a biography? It might interest some persons, and much in my early life was strange. It should prove interesting. I think a book on the life of R. M., from your pen, might sell well. I do not know—but I think so." And later, when I told him I had already planned the book, he wrote: "I am tremendously excited about your writing the life of R. M. It is better than being knighted. . . . If I am alive next year I propose to invite you to go abroad with me. We will travel over the ground together, foot for foot; all the places I lived in, and was beaten and starved; my grandfather's vineyard—he was the friend of poets; my old aunt—still living—a 'grand lady'; the school at Yoredon, at Bourbourg; Derby—O, well, it will be great and glorious."

In this biography Mr. Winter gives us the virtues as well as the defects of its subject, and he has judged him right: "Knowing him to have been a good man and a great actor, and so depicting him in these pages, not to ignore his faults and errors, nor the censure that sometimes follows him. In other words, I have tried to write a life and not a eulogy, and if my recorded estimate is incorrect the inaccuracy must be ascribed not to lack of knowledge but to lack of judgment."

Mr. Mansfield's letters to Winter are characteristic. Here is one from his home after the first performance of "Ivan" in New York:

> "My Dear Winter: Beatrice, who will not allow me to read newspapers, has presented me with your more than generous review of 'Ivan,' and I hasten to thank. If the stage were approached in this spirit by all how different the stage would be! I wish I deserved all you say, but how fine and truly illuminative our poor art becomes when the hand of the poet has recorded the view of the poet!
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> "It was a trying time. Imagine being obliged to take an elevator after each scene and being transported to the fourth story! One felt that nothing remained but to order a jug of ice water and go to bed!
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> "In these days of Clyde Fitches it's pretty difficult to get people to listen to the historical drama. What would be the effect here of the plays concerning Wallenstein, by Schiller, or Don Carlos, or Count Egmont, or even 'Henri Quatre et sa cour,' which always delights Paris? 'Richard II.'? However, something is accomplished, something done—and thank God, you are here!
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> "When are you coming up? At all events, join me at the theater one evening and see the elevator!
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> "What news of Louis? Love from Beatrice.
>
> Yours always, RICHARD."

To vary the letters from Mansfield to Winter, here is an interesting one from Winter to Mansfield, in which the writer expresses himself in regard to Ibsen, and Mansfield's answer:

> "My Dear Mansfield: . . . I do not think that you should abandon Shakspeare because other actors are trying to present his plays and are not presenting them well. You could win another laurel with King John or with Falstaff. However, it is probably useless for me to descant on that subject.
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> "As to Ibsen—I think you are possessed of my opinion. I have read many of his plays and I have seen several of them on the stage. He was a man of talent, but narrow, morbid, dismal, depressing, and sometimes nasty. He says nothing that has not been better said by earlier and better writers. I cannot conceive of any circumstances under which I would contribute in any way, directly or indirectly, to aid or favor the Ibsen movement. I am earnestly and deeply desirous to promote your welfare and happiness and as long as I am writing I shall write thoughtfully, justly, and kindly about your acting, but if you go into the Ibsen business you must go without me. I will not touch 'Peer Gynt' or anything else from Ibsen's pen. . . .
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> Faithfully yours, WILLIAM WINTER."
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> "My Dear Winter: . . . There is a plethora of Shakspearean productions this year, and there is a faddish, restless spirit in the air. Ordinary things will not draw. People do not love Ibsen—but something novel and extraordinary has to be found. I propose playing 'Peer Gynt' in a spirit of travesty and to present it as a 'phantasmagoria.' I shall leave it to the people to find out the fun. At present there is nothing else in sight. I may, however, find something. I would, of course, prefer Jonson, or Beaumont and Fletcher. These are hard times for me, and in doing 'Peer Gynt' I am simply—as I did in 'Cyrano'—working for the sinews of war in order to accomplish other and better things. Also I want to hoist the Ibsen crew with its own petard. If 'Peer Gynt' doesn't do it nothing will. Mrs. Mansfield is absolutely adamant about Falstaff and will not countenance it.
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> "There is hardly a play—a great play—that has not some objectionable features. Of course, everybody is weary to death of the Third, Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Mrs. Tanqueray and the connubial noodle, and you know I will write a play on any historical subject without running against some dirt, whether it be Louis XIV., or Marie Antoinette and Louis XVI., or Charles I., or Charles II., or Henry VIII.; and you can't present the plays of Shakspeare without getting into trouble. When, for instance, I read your advice concerning Falstaff to my wife she said to me: 'If you ever appear as that disgusting old man and speak those horrid lines I will never look at you again.' But what's the use of talking? . . . Yours as always,
>
> "RICHARD MANSFIELD."

Mr. Winter gives to Mansfield rather than to Clyde Fitch the credit of the play, "Beau Brummel." In writing of Mansfield's performance in this play Mr. Winter gives us a most delightful essay on Brummel, an essay that could be printed in a little book by itself and be well worthy of its distinction.

I don't know where we could turn today for another writer of Mr. Winter's peculiar flavor. It is more than literary; mere literary style is a good thing to have, but there is a human note in all that Mr. Winter writes that is even more attractive than literary style, but when you get the two combined you have a great combination.

The Wide, Wide World.

Occupations Divided Among Different Races.

BY GEORGE A. DORSEY, PH. D., LL. D.

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GALATZ, Roumania, Nov. 3.—The Russians drive the horses, Greeks keep the hotels and restaurants, Turks are dock laborers and venders, Magyars, as far as the labor law of Roumania allows, run the flour and saw mills; Austrians boss the factories; all the machinery comes from England, Germany, Vienna, Switzerland, or Bucharest; the Jews own the banks, the clothing stores, first, second, and third hand, and pretty much all the other business of the town; the Roumanians occupy exclusively courthouses, municipal buildings, state railway shops, and all places directly or indirectly controlled by the state, and all factories up to the legal extent—two-thirds.

For you cannot do business in Roumania unless two-thirds of your employes are natives. This may seem harsh, and even stupidly exclusive. It may not make for progress, but it is certainly protection of the home carried to the logical limit. Roumania intends, first and foremost, that Roumania shall be for Roumanians, and that, so far as statutes will go, the Roumanians will own, control, guide, and direct Roumania.

Roumanian Peasant Priest and Daughter

Claim Their Flour is Best.

Today I have seen them making nails and lamp posts, macaroni, handling wheat, barley, and oats, and making flour. They have the impudence here to tell me that Roumania makes the best flour in the world, and that in London it is worth 20 per cent more than the best flour that America ever sent to Europe. I was told the same thing in Hungary. But the Hungarian Magyar who presides over the splendid (big) new flour mill here insists that they are making in Galatz today the best and most expensive flour in the world, that it is even more valuable in London than Hungarian flour.

What I know about flour mills or about flour is neither much nor valuable, but this flouring mill really looks big, and imposing, and important. Its daily grist is 600,000 pounds, and the best grade goes to England. A ship leaves this port tomorrow with 700 tons of best quality flour, and sails direct to Glasgow. The Hungarian miller in charge seems to know all about Minneapolis, and Kansas, and other American things which have to deal with wheat and flour, and told me all he knew about the subject in good English.

The engines in the mill are all from Winterthür, and the fuel, as in all the factories I have seen, is oil. All the milling machinery proper was made in Budapest. The sack filling apparatus is the patent of a Hungarian. The mill employs 170 men, the one-third not Roumanians being Hungarians, with a few Bulgarians. Among the number are twelve women, who tie and sew up sacks. They receive 30 cents a day. Other wages vary from 40 cents to $1.20 a day.

Roumanians Dislike Toil.

I asked the Hungarian how he found Roumanian labor, as compared with that from his own country. He said that the Roumanians are fully as sharp and intelligent, but they have inherited, from the days of Trajan, a dislike for manual labor, apart from agricultural, and this has a tendency to interfere.

Many years ago an English company, it seems, installed a water plant here, and secured at the same time a monopoly of water from the Danube, which, by the way, is as blue here and about as wide as the Mississippi at Memphis. The result of this ancient monopoly is that this flour mill pays this company $1,250 a year for the privilege of pumping its own water from the river. This mill is largely owned by the proprietors of a large mill in Budapest.

In Mr. Wolff's factory I saw them making nails, tacks, cables, bedsprings, and other things which are likely to be made in a shop where raw material comes in as long coils of heavy wire. The labor here, not legally Roumanian, is Austrian and Russian. Of the 180 employes, two are Jews, one a bookkeeper, the other a timekeeper. Wages vary from 75 cents to $1.40. Some fifteen girls are used for soldering chain links. Their wages vary from $2 to $3 a week. Perhaps the most interesting product of the factory are the little horseshoe shaped affairs worn by all the peasants on the heels of their boots. The raw material comes from Westphalia. The output is entirely consumed in Roumania.

Romanized German Rich.

I found the genial host of the cracker factory in his shirt sleeves and an apron. He is a romanized German; came here a few years ago a poor man, today a millionaire. He makes yellow spaghetti, white macaroni, and sweet biscuits, all for home consumption. His factory is no cleaner than it should be, but perhaps, clean enough for the people who buy his wares. He employs fifty laborers, the majority of them Roumanian girls, some of them barefooted, and others with shoes which did not mate. Their average age is about 16, and they receive from 20 to 30 cents a day.

Down in the big iron foundry they are able to make everything from the hub of a wagon to full repairs to a ship which has been burned and sunk. When they are running at full speed they employ 400 men, no Jews. I asked why. They said that that sort of work did not appeal to the Jew. And then, besides, the iron foundry is a real Roumanian establishment, owned and manned by Roumanians. The molders get from $1 to $2 a day.

They make a lot of noise in the nail factory and in the iron foundry, but they say they never kill anybody, and insist that their employes do not lose their arms or fingers. And as you stand and watch the men at work, you easily believe this. To get hurt here is like being injured along the railway. They make it practically impossible.

Enormous Saw Mill.

The largest institution I have seen is the saw mill. Here they employ 1,000 men a day. All those not naturalized Roumanians are Magyars from Transylvania. It is an enormous saw mill, comparing favorably in this respect with our large ones of the west. The pine logs come down from the Carpathians, and the lumber is loaded from the mill on to ships, which go to Turkey, Greece, Italy, northern Africa, and France. The manager of the mill is a German, so new to the country that he speaks Roumanian poorly. The machinery is all from Vienna or Berlin.

It may not interest you to know where the machinery used in the Galatz factories comes from, but all the time I have been trying to discover something from home, and the only thing I have found today was an American typewriter, in the manager's office of the big lumber yard.

There are many other factories here, and the place, in this respect, is characteristic of the modern movement. Roumania is going ahead, slowly from our point of view, but steadily and surely. The modern movement, in many ways, is like the return of life in some of our southern states. Even in the conditions which confront the Roumanian, they are similar; in its sacred, timid peasants, who have faced war in one form or another, on an average of once every five years, for practically the last thousand years; and in its idle rich, whose highest conception of life has been the spending of money, made by hands other than their own.

Noisy Crowd in Restaurant.

In the big Greek restaurant tonight, the best known place in town, I counted thirty-eight men and three women. This is a fair average proportion of the two sexes seen in public places, and is in itself sufficient commentary on social conditions. It is a noisy crowd, with more animation among the diners and more hustle on the part of the waiters than I have seen for a long time. Many of the diners are Jewish commercial travelers; still others are Greek traders, and the remainder are Roumanian officials.

For amusement, one is given a choice tonight between two or three "cafés chantants," "The Dollar Princess," "The Waltz Dream," and a cinematograph. The cinematograph is taken seriously here. Apparently the nickel form for the special benefit of children has not yet reached this corner of Europe. In fact, women and children seem to be poorly provided with amusement in this country.

I was an interested spectator this morning for about an hour in the big Greek church here. The service is about same as in the Orthodox Oriental church, but in the Greek language. The church itself is a huge affair, mildly gaudy on the outside and within, lacking the pictures one finds in the average Roman Catholic church, but rich in little ikons or pictures for people to kiss.

During the whole service there were never more than half a dozen present at any one time. Each, on entering, turned to the long candle counter on the right and purchased a cheap looking wax taper, which was carried to some tin candlestick in front of the ikon of the particular saint whose assistance the worshiper wished to invoke.

Peculiar Funeral Rites.

But the thing of greatest interest was a little octagonal railing, near the center of the church, within which was a table covered with black, and on it a huge iron pan, perhaps three feet wide, which was filled with powdered sugar. On top of the sugar was a cross made of pieces of candy. Back of the table were two big candlesticks, with an ikon between.

The table and its broad pan of sweets represent a stage in the funeral rites of some person who recently died. The sugar and candy form part of what we may call the feast of the soul of the dead, and by means of the lighted tapers the passage of the soul on its way to heaven is made easier. Around this altar prayers for the soul of the dead will be said on the third day after the burial, and on the ninth, the twentieth, and the fortieth. At the end of the first year of mourning the family will give a mourning feast and food, in the case of the poor, or money in the case of the rich, will be given away as alms, in order that the recipients may pray for the soul of the dead. On six successive years the same feasts are held. As a rule, at the end of the seventh year the body is exhumed, the bones are washed in wine, and are buried, but in a smaller coffin.

It is the custom to plant a small fir tree at the head of the grave of a man, and also a wooden cross, painted red. In the case of a young girl, ivy is planted and sweet basil is strewn over the grave. When the family can afford it the wooden cross of the poor is replaced with one of stone, which bears the symbol of the sun or of the moon.

Twenty-five years ago there was not a single carriage in Beirut, and the ladies made their afternoon calls mounted on donkeys. Today there are 400 licensed victorias in Beirut, besides numerous private vehicles, including some automobiles, electric street cars, and railroads.

Woman, Her Work and Interests

Just Between Us Girls.

BY SISTER MARY.

A JUDGE up in New England somewhere asked a girl the other day if she was engaged and she replied that she didn't know. The court deemed this a flippant, insufficient, illogical, and evasive answer and proceeded to reprimand her for slothfulness in not knowing whether she was engaged.

This, of course, was a masculine and uncomprehensive view to take of the situation, for it is often quite difficult to tell whether you are engaged or not. Men have such queer ways of informing a woman of their feelings—they proceed so charily and preserve such businesslike methods in demanding step by step as much as they give that it is often quite difficult for a woman to tell just how far she is along the jagged path which leads to engagedness.

None of my acquaintances has ever had a man say to her, "Will you marry me?" None, that is, except Estelle, who was thus accosted by a baldheaded widower with five children and the asthma, and she promptly replied, "No, I won't." Therefore there could, of course, be no doubt in her mind as to the exact situation, although there was Albert, with whom she would have been quite glad to have an understanding, just to relieve her anxiety, even if it brought with it the information that she was not engaged to him and never would be.

A man is more likely to say, "Well, you see how it is with me. You've got me into this. Now what are you going to do about it?" Or, "Do you think you could stand it to live in Syracuse? I may have to go there to stay!" I know a girl who says she was never proposed to at all, although she is at present happily married. She says that after a long, close friendship, during which they worked out a lot of practical problems together, they just naturally began to talk about when they would be married.

The reason it is so difficult to recognize a proposal on sight is because the real ones differ so essentially from the only ones we have ever heard before, and those are the ones of the novels and the magazines. Almost the only place in real life where we hear echoes of them is in the chronicles of the divorce courts.

"Shelton idolized me," narrated one woman on the stand, "and put me on a pedestal. Then after we were married he found that I was just a plain, human woman. I suppose that is where the whole trouble lay. He was so in love with me that he didn't know me. The night we became engaged he caught me in his arms and said that he would die if I said I could not marry him."

The real thing, isn't it, which might have been transplanted from the pages of the best seller? There are scores of other marriages ending in the divorce court which were made in the glamour of that frenzied love recommended in most literature as the only basis for wedlock. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Field II., when they eloped, planned to spend their lives together in a cocoanut grove. But the trees are not yet grown on their place in South America, and they are suing for divorce.

Compare those romances to the one of an acquaintance of mine whose husband long before their marriage stood by her and her family during her mother's illness and death, through money losses, through lonesomeness, trials, and worries, without ever saying much about love. One day he said he thought he could afford to marry now, and on a Sunday morning they arranged their wedding over the telephone for that afternoon. He hurried out to her home and she took a spot out of his coat with gasoline.

That has been a splendid marriage, combining comradeship and romance. But if I couldn't have both of these I think I would take a chance on the man who conducts his courtship on a businesslike basis, demanding step by step to know where he stands. Besides this doesn't kill romance. What does a woman admire more than the strong, level headed man who brings her to terms?

So the advantage of the practical, workaday world style of courtship over the precipitous methods of fiction and the divorce courts is that it wins for the first asset in marriage, before the furniture and the kitchen utensils, both friendship and staple love.

Beauty and Health.

BY MARIAN MARTINEAU.

YOUR voice may be cultivated till it will of itself attract friends to you. Train yourself to notice pleasant voices and then modulate your own and see that it always gives out its best tones. Control of the voice will have great influence over your disposition. Be careful that your voice is never harsh or whining.

Nail Hint.

One error common among inexperienced persons who try to beautify the shape of their nails is filing the top sides too much. This, instead of making them narrow, only broadens, for the flesh, loosened from the brace which the nail supplies, becomes flat, and the fingers become wide at the ends. It is by making the flesh grow close to the nails at the sides that narrowness is acquired.

A wise provision for shapeliness is to rub the bottom of each nail every night with an orange wood stick, dipped into vaseline or other grease. This will do much to prevent the development of hang nails and to keep the nail surface clear of small pieces of cuticle which break away from the flesh. The grease thus applied should be left on, and more should be rubbed in the space between cuticle and nail to prevent the skin from hardening into little white bits.

Sensitive Scalp.

Should the scalp be so sore it is sensitive to the touch it may be necessary to resort to zinc ointment, which has healing qualities. This should be rubbed gently into the scalp before shampooing, parting the hair frequently that all sections of the skin may be treated. Egg and lime water may then be put on to cleanse before rinsing in clear water.

New Russian Tunic.

Chiffon blouse or tunic made of transparent material to be worn over a costume of lingerie or more dressy type.

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Old Virginia Apple Bread.

Take two eggs, a teaspoonful each of salt and soda, a quart of buttermilk, and add enough cornmeal to make a batter; then add two cupfuls each of fresh cracklings (left from making lard) and four apples finely chopped. Pour into greased pans and bake quickly. Serve hot.

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A favorite Virginia dish. Beat ten eggs very light and add to them a quart of rich milk, with a quarter of a pound of melted butter and pepper and salt to taste, stirring in enough flour to make a good thin batter. Take four young chickens, clean them, cut off the legs and wings; put them in a saucepan with salt water, a bundle of thyme and parsley, and boil until nearly done; then take from the water and place in the batter. Pour in a deep dish and bake. Serve with a white gravy in a boat.

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A delicious and nutritious soup is made in this way by Petina, a Finnish maid whose cooking is something to remember. Cook a quart can of tomatoes for twenty minutes, then rub through a fine sieve. Season with salt and pepper and a few drops onion juice. Cook a quart of milk in the double boiler, adding when at the boiling point two tablespoonfuls flour stirred smooth in a little cold milk. And two tablespoonfuls butter. Now beat the yolks of two or three eggs in a tureen, pour the milk into the tomatoes and the mixture into the tureen over the top and serve hot with croutons or bread sticks.

Books

Mr. Mansfield's letters to Winter are characteristic. Here is one from his home after the first performance of "Ivan" in New York:

"My Dear Winter: Beatrice, who will not allow me to read newspapers, has presented me with your more than generous review of 'Ivan,' and I hasten to thank. If the stage were approached in this spirit by all how different the stage would be! I wish I deserved all you say, but how fine and truly illuminative our poor art becomes when the hand of the poet has recorded the view of the poet!

"It was a trying time. Imagine being obliged to take an elevator after each scene and being transported to the fourth story! One felt that nothing remained but to order a jug of ice water and go to bed!

"In these days of Clyde Fitches it's pretty difficult to get people to listen to the historical drama. What would be the effect here of the plays concerning Wallenstein, by Schiller, or Don Carlos, or Count Egmont, or even 'Henri Quatre et sa Cour,' which always delights Paris? 'Richard II.'? However, something is accomplished, something done—and thank God, you are here!

"When are you coming up? At all events, join me at the theater one evening and see the elevator!

"What news of Louis? Love from Beatrice. Yours always, RICHARD."

To vary the letters from Mansfield to Winter, here is an interesting one from Winter to Mansfield, in which the writer expresses himself in regard to Ibsen, and Mansfield's answer:

"My Dear Mansfield: . . . I do not think that you should abandon Shakespeare because other actors are trying to present his plays and are not presenting them well. You could win another laurel with King John or with Falstaff. However, it is probably useless for me to descant on that subject.

"As to Ibsen—I think you are possessed of my opinion. I have read many of his plays and I have seen several of them on the stage. He was a man of talent, but narrow, morbid, dismal, depressing, and sometimes nasty. He says nothing that has not been better said by earlier and better writers. I cannot conceive of any circumstances under which I would contribute in any way, directly or indirectly, to aid or favor the Ibsen movement. I am earnestly and deeply desirous to promote your welfare and happiness, and as long as I am writing I shall write thoughtfully, justly, and kindly about your acting, but if you go into the Ibsen business you must go without me. I will not touch 'Peer Gynt' or anything else from Ibsen's pen. . . . Faithfully yours, WILLIAM WINTER."

"My Dear Winter: . . . There is a plethora of Shakespearean productions this year, and there is a faddish, restless spirit in the air. Ordinary things will not draw. I do not love Ibsen—but something novel and extraordinary has to be found. I propose playing 'Peer Gynt' in a spirit of travesty and to present it as a 'phantasmagoria.' I shall leave it to the people to find out the fun. At present there is nothing else in sight. I may, however, find something. I would, of course, prefer Jonson, or Beaumont and Fletcher. These are hard times for us, and in doing 'Peer Gynt' I am simply—as I did in 'Cyrano'—working for the sinews of war in order to accomplish other and better things. Also I want to hoist the Ibsen crase with its own petard. If 'Peer Gynt' doesn't do it nothing will. Mrs. Mansfield is absolutely adamant about Falstaff and will not countenance it.

"There is hardly a play—a great play—that has not some objectionable features. Of course, everybody is weary to death of the Third, Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Mrs. Tanqueray and the connubial noodle, and you can't well write a play on any historical subject without running against some dirt, whether it be Louis XIV., or Marie Antoinette and Louis XVI., or Charles I., or Charles II., or Henry VIII.; and you can't present the plays of Shakspeare without getting into trouble. When, for instance, I read your advice concerning Falstaff to my wife she said to me: 'If you ever appear as that disgusting old man and speak those horrid lines I will never look at you again.' But what's the use of talking? . . . Yours as always,

"RICHARD MANSFIELD."

Mr. Winter gives to Mansfield rather than to Clyde Fitch the credit of the play, "Beau Brummell." In writing of Mansfield's performance in the play Mr. Winter gives us a most delightful essay on Brummel, an essay that could be printed in a little book by itself and be well worthy of its distinction.

I don't know where we could turn today for another writer of Mr. Winter's peculiar flavor. He is more than literary, mere literary style is a good thing to have, but there is a human note in all that Mr. Winter writes that is even more attractive than literary style, but when you get the two combined you have a great combina-

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News and Gossip of the World of Outdoor and Indoor Sport.

CLINE INCREASES LEAD BY 48 POINTS

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CHAMPION IN DEEP HOLE.

Calvin Has to Overcome a Margin of 205 Tonight to Retain His Cue Crown.

BY J. G. DAVIS.

Following half a dozen records with two symphonies, which netted him 122 and 74 points, respectively, Harry P. Cline, the Philadelphia billiardist, outplayed Champion Calvin Demarest in the second block of their 1,500 point match at Orchestra hall last night, winning 500 to 452.

This gain of 48 points, added to the 157 gained by the Quaker player on the first night, gives him a lead of 205 points, and the champion's crown, which he won at New York last December, does not fit as securely as before. Tonight Cline will have to make 500 points, while Demarest has to count 705 in order to retain his honors. Cline now has a total of 1,000 and Demarest is credited with 795.

Demarest Fast at Start.

So far the play of the young Chicagoan has not come up to expectations, but his brilliant work in past tournaments affords his friends the hope that the delayed spurt yet will appear. His play of last night resembled that of Tuesday night, when he made a runaway start, then fell into a slough of mediocrity. Cline began a little better than on the preceding night, getting 50 points in his first seven innings.

Calvin, who had counted 44 during the same period, then contributed one of his justly famous gallops in which he clicked off point after point till Marker Mathews announced 147. Calvin then missed on a two carom essay after he had counted off several hurriedly played open shots. He opened the run with ten fairly hard billiards but gathered the balls at the bottom of the table at twenty-three and held them there most of the time. He had almost perfect control, and counted so fast that he made his last sixty-two points in a little over five minutes.

This run "brought down the house" and made the champion's grand total within twenty points of that of Cline, the scores being 534 to 554. They had three bad innings after that, but Cline was first to get his stride, and a compilation of thirty-seven, followed by a pretty run of seventy-seven again put him to the front with a comfortable lead on the two nights' play.

Cline Plays Carefully.

Demarest brought renewed hope to his friends by counting 48 on his fourteenth essay, missing on a single cushion left hand draw shot. Cline, playing carefully all the time, garnered a cluster of 64 in the eighteenth inning and, following with another run of 40 three innings later, he was only fourteen points behind Demarest on the night's play.

In the seventeenth inning Demarest had the balls freeze on his third shot, but made a massé and ten shots later ran into another freeze, missing bank to the side rail. This let Cline in for his count of 64. The champion came back to life in his twenty-third inning, running 31 by delicate nursing before he slipped up on a single cushion shot.

Cline for some time gave a malarial exhibition, counting five ciphers out of six attempts. Opportunity was knocking at the champion's door and he followed his 37 with 45. His final shot kissed the red ball into the corner and the cue ball following around four cushions came within a hair of counting. In his twenty-sixth essay Demarest ran into another freeze, his third of the night, and he missed a cushion bank after running 18.

Quaker's Run Is Unfinished.

After Cline had made his 122 by splendid play he followed in his next inning with 74, which contained a few pyrotechnics at the finish, including a fine draw at 47, a three cushion on his next shot, and a clever cushion follow at the next attempt. Then he corralled the spheres and was out, leaving the balls in good position for tonight.

Marker Charles Matthews furnished a little comedy at one stage, when Demarest barely missed a long draw, by emitting a loud "whoop" which was heard all over the house. Then he resumed his official dignity. Scores:

CLINE—[illegible] Total, 500. Average, 16 20-30. High runs, 122, 77, and 74 unfinished.

DEMAREST—[illegible] Total, 452. Average, 15 17-29. High runs, 147, 48, 45.

HOPPE LEADS IN CUE MATCH.

Runs Out String of 500 Points to Morningstar's 312 in First Block of Contest.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The first string of 18-2 of the billiard match between Willie Hoppe and Ora Morningstar was won here tonight by Hoppe by a score of 500 to 312, the youthful cue artist never having appeared to better advantage.

The balls broke bad for Morningstar during the early part of the match, and toward the end he seemed to lose his nerve, falling down on several apparently easy shots. Hoppe, after an easy start, got the balls together toward the middle of the match and by careful nursing ran 136. Morningstar was off on his long shots, falling thrice on what appeared to be easy cushion caroms.

The crowd was large and the enthusiasm was unstinted. The second leg of the match will be played tomorrow night. Hoppe is a 5 to 3 favorite in the betting. Tonight's scores:

HOPPE—11, 1, 4, 12, 23, 11, 9, 15, 136, [illegible]—500.

MORNINGSTAR—9, 76, 15, 6, 5, 2, 6, 1, [illegible]—312.

Hoppe has decided that, owing to the illness of George Sutton, holder of the 18-1 billiard championship, he will not press his claim for the emblem and 18-1 title, which he believes should be his, since Sutton refuses to play him a three nights match. Today when Hoppe found out that Sutton had been warned by his physician to play a match of no more than one night he instructed his business manager to send the following wire to Sutton: "Hoppe will play you 800 points one night, winner to take all and pay all expenses. March 16 in Chicago suits him."

KEOGH NOW POOL CHAMPION.

Defeats Hueston for World's Title in Final of 600 Point Match at New York.

New York, Feb. 2.—Jerome Keogh of Rochester, N. Y., won the world's champion pool title from Thomas Hueston, the titleholder, in the last game of their 600 point match in New York tonight. Keogh, with a high run of 32, secured the 180 points necessary to complete the 600, while Hueston obtained 173.

LAMY WINS THREE MILE RACE.

Champion Skater Also Qualifies for Finals in Three Other Events at Saranac Lake.

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Six events were run off at the international outdoor skating championship of Saranac lake. Summaries:

220 yards—First heat: Won by Phil Kearney, Brooklyn; W. O. Finlayson, Montreal, second; Joe Miller third. Time, :21. Second heat: Won by Edmund Lamy, Saranac Lake; Fred Robson, Toronto, second; E. Wheeler, Montreal, third. Time, :20 4-5.

Half mile—First heat: Won by Kearney, Brooklyn; Robson, second; A. Mason, Montreal, third. Time, 1:23. Second heat: Won by Lamy; Wheeler, second; Miller, third. Time, 1:20 2-5.

One mile—First heat: Won by Robson; Kearney, second; Parent, third. Time, 2:52. Second heat—Won by Lamy; Miller, second; Wheeler, third. Time, 2:51 4-5.

220 yard hurdles—Won by W. O. Finlayson, Montreal; Robson, second; W. H. Jackson, Montreal, third. Time, :23.

Three miles—Won by Lamy; Wheeler, second; Kearney, third; Miller, fourth; Parent, fifth. Time, 10:03.

Finals in the events in which preliminary heats were run off today will be decided tomorrow.

Gaels Going to Court Today.

After postponing action for a week President Ahern of the Illinois State Gaelic Athletic association has ordered Attorney Coburn to file suit in the Circuit court against James J. and John T. Cahill, former treasurer and secretary, respectively, to recover a sum of money between $400 and $500, a lease on Gaelic park, records, and the charter of the organization, claimed by Ahern to be in the hands of the two defendants. The papers will be filed today.

SULLIVAN BREAKS HIS ARM

Exhibition with Cardiff in 1887 Nearly Ends His Career.

HUB FRIENDS GIVE HIM BELT

John L. Suggests a Reunion of Families of His Name.

BY JOHN L. SULLIVAN.

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After my fight with McCaffrey there was little doing in the way of matchmaking. I went back to Boston and signed a contract to travel with Allen's Minstrels at a salary of $500 a week. My job was to pose as statues of ancient and modern gladiators. I can assure you that was much easier money than knocking some poor fellow out for it every night.

I might get that job now, but with my 300 pounds of flesh I have my doubt whether I would make a hit as a statue of Apollo. Can you imagine Apollo weighing 300 and wearing a long gray mustache?

I remained with the minstrel show for six months and closed in Chicago so as to make a match with Charlie Mitchell. That fell through on account of the citizens of the city appealing to the officials to prevent it. Having lost another chance to get Mitchell, I went to New York. There I went into the saloon business, forming a partnership with William Bennett. I was doing pretty well until a man named Frank Herald began pestering and hounding me for a match. I finally had to close up the place and go out west and lick him. I did that trick in just one round on Sept. 18, 1886.

Pat Sheedy as Manager.

In the meantime I had put myself under the management of Pat Sheedy, and we started on a trip to the coast with Steve Taylor, George La Blanche, Jimmy Carroll, and Patsy Kerrigan. In Frisco I finally got another chance to meet Paddy Ryan, the man from whom I had won the championship in 1882. I knocked him out in three rounds and received something like $7,800 for the trouble.

After leaving Frisco I received an injury that came near putting me out of the fighting game for good. It was the first serious hurt I ever had.

During an exhibition bout in Minneapolis, Jan. 18, 1887, I met Patsy Cardiff. We were to go six rounds. In the opening minute I let drive my left, but found that I had gauged my man wrongly. The blow struck him in the middle of the forehead just as he was ducking. I felt a sharp twinge in my arm, but I kept on going. In a few minutes I discovered I had broken one of the bones in my arm and it was already beginning to swell. Despite this injury I fought out the other five rounds and was given the decision.

"Why didn't you knock him out?" yelled some fellow from the crowd. "I guess you had it fixed, eh?"

"I guess all this stuff about you knocking everybody out in four rounds is all wind. You have got to show us."

Crowd Hoots John L. Off Stage.

These remarks angered me and I walked to the footlights to explain.

"Gentlemen," I began, but they would not listen. They hooted and howled so that I had to go to my dressing room without making an explanation. That crowd had no idea my arm was broken.

I hurried to the hotel and sent for two surgeons. I was suffering excruciating pain and my arm had swollen until it was almost double its natural size. By the time the doctors decided what to do it was 3 in the morning. They finally decided to set the arm, as they had found where the bone was broken. The "radius" bone, I believe, they called it.

With the splints on I left with the party next day for Dakota and continued on to Winnipeg. The other fellows would do the boxing and I would appear in citizen's clothes. That did not suit the fans, however. They wanted me in tights. Therefore, we called off the trip and came back to Minneapolis. The arm had not improved a great deal. The temperature was 20 degrees below zero and I was getting in a bad fix. The doctors finally decided to set the arm in felt splints. They evidently didn't know what to do and I had to be the sufferer.

Things got to such a pass that I began to be alarmed for fear that I might lose the arm. They wanted me to see a surgeon in Chicago, but I made up my mind to come straight to New York and see Dr. Louis Sayers. Dr. Sayers hurried around as soon as I reached New York. He was astounded at what the other doctors had done.

Breaks Arm to Mend It.

Dr. Sayers immediately called his two sons. He told them to hold the muscle of the bicep as well as the forearm. He then took hold of my hand as if to shake hands with me. In a flash he broke the arm, and for a minute he had me scared stiff. After resetting it he locked the arm in a plaster cast. I carried it in that position for five weeks. At the end of that time it was well and I could go back to fighting.

When my arm was well enough to resume sparring exhibitions I went back to Boston. On Aug. 8 a benefit was given me at the Boston theater. It was on that occasion that I was presented with the diamond belt which came to be known all over the world. It was of solid gold and set with 397 diamonds. This belt was made in Maiden lane, New York, and is said to be the greatest and nicest piece of workmanship of its kind that ever was presented to a champion. The belt is my own personal property. My name on the belt is composed of 260 stones.

Wants Reunion of All Sullivans.

Right here I want to make an explanation. One of my reasons for becoming a writer is to draw public attention to a plan which I have been trying to get going for a long time. This is a reunion of the Sullivan family—that is, all the Sullivans. You hear of reunions of the Brown family, of the Jones family, of the Smith family, and so forth, but what tribe can show up like the Sullivan family?

There are enough of us Sullivans to repel an army, and we're always ready—the Sullivans could go up and take Canada without asking help from any other first family. There are Sullivans enough to fill every position you may name. Do you want brawn? Look at the Sullivan in Boston, who is six feet eight and one-half inches tall, working as a longshoreman for $1.80 a day. Do you want brains? Look at another Sullivan in Boston, five feet five inches short, working as president of a railroad at a salary of $25,000. There are Sullivans of all grades in between those two samples, and I hope some day to see the family reunited—if there is any place big enough to hold us all.

(To be continued tomorrow.)

HESTER DISCOVERS AN ARENA.

Promoter Says Nelson-Wolgast Fight Will Be Staged in Alameda, Cal., on Feb. 22.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The Nelson-Wolgast fight will be staged in Alameda in the new arena, which will be built by Promoter Bill Hester. It will be a forty-five round fight and will be pulled off on the afternoon of Washington's birthday. Nelson, on his arrival this morning, made it plain that arrangements as far completed are satisfactory to him. There is only one thing that may cause dispute and that is the posting of the $5,000 side bet. Bat says he will not allow a side bet to interfere with the match, but he wants to show up Wolgast.

BURNS TO FIGHT BILL LANG.

Heavyweights Are Matched to Clash for the Australian Title in Sidney on March 28.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Feb. 2.—Tommy Burns and Bill Lang, heavyweight champion of Australia, were matched today to fight on March 28 for the Australian title.

IN THE WAKE OF THE NEWS.

BY HEK.

SONG HANDICAP NOMINATIONS.

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Dear Sir: I beg to enter the inclosed in the Song Handicap. The description is b. g. (6), and pedigree Big Bill of the Branos, dam Careless Minnie. All set. G. G.

Proceeding from here (andante perequizzle).

WAY OUT IN DEEP RIGHT FIELD.

I had a ball team in dis town,
Our catcher he got pinched;
A real bad coon said: "Put me down
And dis yere game am cinched."
I said: "You're on; jes' grab de mitt
And get behin' de pan."
He missed a few and den got hit.
De crowd cried, "Man! O man!
Why, you can't play, you's jest a dub,
Dat's all what am de matter."
Den he gets mad and grabs a club,
And how dem coons did scatter!
W'en dat coon hit, say! dey would drop
And look lak dey was dead.
Dey yelled, "Come in and make him stop."
But I jes' smiled and said:

Chorus:
Now 'way out yere in deep right field is de proper place to be;
Dat angufyin's not mah biz, dat coon's too much for me.
It's time to learn yo' lesson yet befo' yo' doom am sealed;
W'en you sees trouble brewin' get 'way out in deep right field.

Secretary's note: The past performances of an added starter from the W. M. H. stable of Des Moines, Ia., are being looked up.

After you have stripped it of its tiddy fol la verbiage, the excruciatingly funny congratulatory telegrams from rube managers and unattached fans, the plays on batting averages, base stealing and spikes, the unspeakable and far fetched mush about proud father and the "squeeze play" and "hugging his first," the twaddle about holding out for three quarts a day, and so forth and so on, you get down to the nub of the proposition, which is: Mrs. Tyrus Cobb of Augusta, Ga., has a baby.

AND HE MAY NOT.

Jack Johnson the jabber on a jamboree,
Just jolted a janitor jet black as he;
If the judge doesn't jail him until after June
Jolly Jim Jeffries will jar this big coon.
SISTER SILLY.

The ground hog didn't stay out long enough to be indicated anyway.

Won't all this gratuitous information which the west side fans are promised for the impending season crab the sale of the cantelemwithoutem score card? There are two ways of looking at it, you know.

If Mr. Bacey of the I. A. C. succeeds in his noble purpose of bringing order out of the present amateur athletic chaos we shall hang a medal on him, gaw's strewth.

Mercy! Are they still fussing about that Nelson-Wolgast match?

The gentleman who purchased Fitz Herbert may discover as he goes along that the best part of the horse remained in Sam Hildreth's barn. Hildreth knows when to get them, what to do with them when he has them, and when to let go. Probably he is the greatest "man with a horse" this country has ever known.

The latest phase of the fistic situation is just a slight modification of the "if." Tex Rickard bleats amain on the mess and Jack Gleason has his nose in Jeffries' ear.

The veteran Billy Madden has come out flat-footed for flat feet.

Denver, Feb. 2.—Dear Teacher: Man here says Jack Gleason is working secretly for Hugh McIntosh and will swing fight to Australia at psychological moment. Didn't say that exactly. Tried to and choked. MIKE.

BLACK PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO THE CHARGE OF ASSAULT.

Johnson, in New York Court, Denies He Struck Pinder—Judge Raises Fighter's Bail to $2,500.

New York, Feb. 2.—Jack Johnson, heavyweight champion, pleaded not guilty to the assault indictment against him today. Johnson appeared in the General Sessions court, where he was summoned to answer the charge of Norman Pinder that Johnson had assaulted him.

Counsel for Pinder asked that the bail be raised from $1,000 to $10,000. Pinder was badly injured, the lawyer claimed. Johnson's attorney said that information he had from a physician did not sustain this claim. There was no evidence to show that Johnson had hit Pinder, he declared. "Why, if this defendant had ever struck Pinder with his fist he would have broken his jaw," exclaimed the lawyer.

Johnson's admirers laughed at this and the fighter grinned appreciatively when the opposing counsel said he thought he could get a judicial decision that Johnson's hands were dangerous weapons. Johnson said he would appear at any time he was wanted.

"Why, judge," said the heavyweight, "I came all the way from Buffalo just as soon as I heard of this indictment against me."

"Well," said the court, "you go back to Buffalo and I will fix bail at $2,500."

Johnson, as he left the courtroom, was served with papers in a civil action by Pinder for $20,000. He threw the papers on the floor, but his counsel picked them up and announced that he accepted service for the pugilist.

FIGHT UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

Stone Crashes Through Window During Murphy-Smith Bout in New York—Detective Thrown Out.

New York, Feb. 2.—Tommy Murphy of Harlem won a fast go of ten rounds from Sammy Smith, another local boy, at the Sharkey Athletic club tonight. The boys fought under police difficulties. The first preliminary bout had gone one round when a detective jumped over the ropes and grabbed one of the fighters. The crowd interfered and threw out the detective.

The Murphy-Smith bout was put on immediately and proceeded fast and furious until the eighth round, when a stone crashed through one of the windows and caused a temporary pause. After a brief halt, the bout was finally finished.

Murphy had a shade the better of the contest throughout.

COFFROTH IS NEARING GOTHAM.

California Fight Promoter Speeding Toward Frisco in Hopes of Winning $1,000 Bet.

New York, Feb. 2.—J. W. Coffroth, the California fight promoter, is a passenger on the Mauretania, which probably will arrive here early Friday morning. Before leaving England Coffroth made a $1,000 bet with Eugene Corri of the National Sporting club that he would be in San Francisco on Feb. 8. To win the bet Coffroth intends to board the Twentieth Century limited on Friday afternoon, reaching Chicago Saturday morning. If no mishaps occur he will leave Chicago on the Overland limited, which is due in San Francisco at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday.

Special Train for Fight Fans.

A special train will be run from Chicago to the Jeffries-Johnson fight, whether it is held in Utah or California. This was decided yesterday by officials of the Empire Athletic club. It is the intention of the club to care for only those who intend to make the round trip. The train will remain at the battle ground and return shortly after the fight.

Fighters Put Up Tame Affair.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Jack White of Chicago and Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland apparently were afraid of each other in their eight round bout at Windsor tonight. Each fought on the defensive throughout. Not a half dozen hard blows were landed.

HULL HOUSE METEORS WIN TITLE IN 120 POUND CLASS.

Defeat Cornell Square Bullets in Final Match of A. A. U. Basketball Championship by Score of 48 to 24.

The Hull House Meteors won the title in the 120 pound class of the Central A. A. U. basketball championships by defeating the Cornell Square Bullets in the deciding game at the De Paul gymnasium last night, 48 to 24. The fast, accurate passing of the winners was responsible for their victory, while the losers were slow. Satt and Weinstein did the best work for the winners. Irving Park A. A. won third place by defeating the Central Turners, 36 to 14. Lineups follow:

Hull House Meteors [48].		Cornell Sq. Bullets [24].
Satt, Dubin	R. F.	Wach, Bauman
Weinstein	L. F.	Hylo
Wolfe	C.	Fikeys
Weller	R. G.	Wiesner
Sackheim	L. G.	Kock

Baskets—Satt, 5; Weinstein, 4; Wolfe, 7; Sackheim, 3; Wach, 2; Pickeys, 2; Hylo. Free throws—Satt, 9; Fickeys, 11; Dubin. Bauman. Referee—Lorentsen, Y. M. C. A. Umpire—Harris, Chicago.

Irving Park A. A. [36].		Central Turners [14].
O'Brien, Stiboit	R. F.	Tryner, Willand
Scott	L. F.	McDevitt
Lampe	C.	Holt
Stiles	R. G.	Moettling
Kingsley	L. G.	Fisher

Baskets—Scott [3], Lampe [5], Stiboit [2], O'Brien [3], Holt [2], Tryner. Free throws—Scott [6], Holt [4], Willand [2]. Referee—Harris, Chicago. Umpire—Lorentsen, C. Y. M. C. A.

Central A. A. U. 135 pound championships will begin tonight at De Paul gymnasium. The first game will be between the Central Turners and De Paul Juniors at 8 o'clock the Lauder A. C. and White Eagles will play; at 9 o'clock the De Paul altar boys and Hull House Midgets will meet, and at 10 o'clock Hull House first team and De Paul Eagles contest.

LEWIS FIVE DEFEATS ALUMNI.

Institute Players Down Team Composed of College Stars by Close Score of 26 to 20.

The Lewis institute five defeated the Alumni five at Lewis gymnasium yesterday, 26 to 20. A dinner was given to the teams at night by Coach Wheeler. Three of the Alumni, Hoffman, Falls, and Page, are now at the U. of C., Watson being at Illinois. Lineup:

Lewis Institute [26].		Lewis Alumni [20].
Pardee	R. F.	Watson
Walhier	L. F.	Bannister, Falls, Aurand
Dempsey	C.	Summerfield, Aurand and Bannister
C. Bartik	R. G.	Bartik, Hoffman
McKee	L. G.	Page

Baskets—Pardee [3], Dempsey [3], Walhier [1], C. Bartik [1], Watson [3], Bannister [3], Summerfield, Aurand, Falls. Free throws—Pardee [6], Watson [4], Falls, Page [2]. Referee—Wheeler.

In the curtain raiser Medill High school defeated the Lewis Institute Wops, 31 to 23.

I. A. C. Five, 33; Hull House, 15.

The Illinois Athletic club basketball team scored an easy victory over Hull House last night in the former's gymnasium, 33 to 15. Lineup:

I. A. C. [33].		Hull House [15].
Brooks	R. F.	Labow
Swenholt, Berggren	L. F.	Vair
Palmer, Beddleston	C.	Woltman
Osborne	R. G.	Wolf
Bonnacker	L. G.	Miller

Baskets—Brooks [6], Berggren [3], Palmer [2], Osborne [3], Bonnacker, Swenholt, Labow, Wolf. Free throws—Brooks [1], Labow [10]. Points awarded—Hull House, 1. Referee—Byrnes.

Lake Forest Beats Veterans.

The Lake Forest college five defeated the Highland Park collegians, a team of old university stars, yesterday at Lake Forest, 29 to 18.

Other Basketball Results.

St. Viateur's college, 25; St. Cyril, 5.
La Grange High, 36; Clyde, 20.
Hyde Park Y. M. C. A., 37; Armour Square Blues, 12.
Hyde Park Seconds, 38; Mark White, 4.

Central Indoor Team Wins.

Racine, Wis., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—In the indoor baseball game tonight between the Horlicks of this city and the Central Y. M. C. A. of Chicago the locals were defeated by a score of 24 to 20.

A. A. U. AND A. A. F. WANT PEACE

Solution for Bringing About Harmony Is Sought.

AGREEMENT IS ASSURED?

Local Federation Is Given Privilege to Make Suggestions.

BY WALTER H. ECKERSALL.

At the joint meeting held last night at the Illinois Athletic club of officials of the Amateur Athletic Union and Amateur Athletic federation, for the purpose of reaching an agreement or compromise which would result in the advancement of amateur athletics in this territory, it was decided that the A. A. F. should make whatever suggestions it deems necessary to President Brown of the National A. A. U. which might bring about a compromise or alliance of the two warring organizations.

Although the officials were reticent about giving out any details, it practically is assured that some sort of agreement was reached. All that remains to be done is a certain formality of procedure before the two factions will be at peace.

Every phase and angle of the situation was discussed, and at the conclusion of the meeting Mr. Brown asserted that the A. A. F. would present certain suggestions to him which might lead to a betterment of the situation, and he in turn would present these suggestions to the authorities of the National A. A. U. Further than this nothing was given out for publication. Perfect harmony reigned at the meeting.

President Dr. Kallenberg of the A. A. F. said a meeting of his organization would be held at the Boston Oyster house tonight to discuss the situation, and that a committee would be appointed to draw a set of suggestions which will be presented to Mr. Brown. The officials apparently had pledged themselves to secrecy. All seemed pleased with the results of the meeting.

Those in attendance were: E. C. Brown, president of the National A. A. U.; Dr. George K. Herman, president of the Central A. A. U.; E. C. Bacey, vice president of the Central A. A. U.; Dr. Kallenberg, president of the A. A. F.; H. F. Pearson, representing the Y. M. C. A.'s; Lewis Omer of the high schools, and C. F. Huddleston of the bible class leagues.

Twenty Mile Relay on Feb. 25.

By an arrangement with President George K. Herman of the Central A. A. U., whereby the Riverview Athletic club gets the A. A. U. handicap meet, a change in date for the proposed twenty mile team race given by the same organization is necessary. The A. A. U. meet is set for Feb. 18 at Riverview and the team race has been set for Feb. 26.

Horsemen Meet Here Feb. 21.

The stewards of the Great Western harness horse circuit will meet at the La Salle hotel Monday, Feb. 21, according to an announcement issued yesterday by Secretary W. H. Smollinger. Owners and trainers are invited to be present to make suggestions for the improvement of the game. At 1 o'clock the six day auction sale will open at the stockyards. In the evening a banquet will be tendered to the visiting horsemen.

Two Races on Wet Speedway.

Only two races under the auspices of the Garfield Park Driving club were run yesterday over the Douglas boulevard speedway, the poor condition of the course causing the postponement of the other two events to Saturday. Humming Bird won the free for all pace from McKinley, the only other entrant, in straight heats. In the green pace, Herbert H. defeated Mike L after losing the first heat.

OAKLAND RACE RESULTS.

First race, ⅝ mile—Burning Bush, 112 [Sullivan], 13 to 5, won; Aunt Kit, 106 [Martin], 18 to 5, second; Dovalta, 120 [Vesper], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 2-5. Colbert, Aunt Aggie, Remay, Combury, Arlis, Arthur Hyman, and Robeena ran.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Grenida, 109 [Glass], 4 to 1, won; Sam Mathews, 112 [Borel], 2 to 5, second; Aldrian, 112 [Gross], 2 to 1, third. Time, :58 2-5. Soon, Kerry Gow, Sir Victor, Conisthaunthu, and Salal ran.

Third race, ⅝ mile—Orelio, 112 [Taplin], 16 to 5, won; Phil Mohr, 83 [Kederis], 5 to 1, second; Binocular, 88 [Thomas], 13 to 5, third. Time, 1:15 1-5. Balronia, Inclement, John Louis, and Beaumont ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile, Fort Costa handicap—Jeanette M., 95 [Taplin], 23 to 5, won; Bubbling Water, 114 [Martin], 6 to 5, second; Silver Knight, 108 [Vesper], 7 to 5, third. Time, 1:40 2-5. Pulletta ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile and 20 yards—Meltondale, 109 [Thomas], 2 to 1, won; Miss Naomi, 107 [Kent], 7 to 1, second; Wap, 114 [Borel], 13 to 1, third. Time, 1:43 2-5. Deneen, Dorothy Ledgett, Sainotta, J. R. Laughrey, Miss Officious and Gene Russell ran.

Sixth race, ⅝ mile—Emma G., 110 [Vesper], 7 to 2, won; Thistle Belle, 106 [Taplin], 16 to 5, second; Lena Lech, 107 [Coburn], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 3-5. Minnedecia, Reson, Adena, Paul Clifford, and Steel ran.

JACKSONVILLE RACE RESULTS.

First race, ⅝ mile—Decency, 107 [Howard], 8 to 5, won; Ryestraw, 102 [O'Fain], 5 to 1, second; Old Squaw, 106 [Butwell], 8 to 1, third. Time, :59. Mayweed, Bendaga, John Gilgore, Alberto, Chess, Abe Attell, Startler, Doris Ward, Ortega, Edna Collins, Ivy Green, Bertha D., and Tom Flynn ran.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Milton B., 109 [Butwell], 2 to 1, won; Billiard Ball, 104 [O'Fain], 2 to 1, second; Amoret, 100 [Howard], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:12 1-5. Frank Purcell, Howdy Howdy, Adalia, Frank G. Morgan, and Pearl M. ran.

Third race, ⅝ mile—Turncoat, 103 [Moore], 12 to 1, won; St. Jeanne, 107 [Howard], 2 to 1, second; Gold Dust, 109 [Butwell], 16 to 5, third. Time, 1:12. Harold Hall, Endymion, Silverine, Horace E., Rubie, Throckmorton, Birdslayer, Alencon, Croydon, and Mozart ran.

Fourth race, Miami selling stakes, ⅝ mile—Charlie Eastman, 109 [G. Burns], 11 to 5, won; Pantoufle, 104 [Bergen], 13 to 5, second; Royal Onyx, 106 [Butwell], 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:12. Ben Double, Top Note, Arionette, Rialto, and Ida D. ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Hooray, 109 [Davenport], 8 to 2, won; Joe Rose, 100 [G. Burns], 26 to 5, second; First Peep, 108 [Musgrave], 12 to 10, third. Time, 1:40 2-5. The Minks, Sandy Hill, Tivolini, Ilysium, and Tamo ran.

Sixth race, 1⅛ miles—Admonish, 109 [Bergen], 15 to 1, won; Dele Strome, 102 [S. Davis], 13 to 5, second; Schleswig, 98 [Henry], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:54 4-5. Cabiagram, Jack Baker, and Point Lace ran.

JUAREZ RACE RESULTS.

First race, ⅝ mile—Silly Bramble, 109 [Molesworth], 9 to 1, won; Lasinan, 109 [Flynn], 12 to 5, second; Sad News, 107 [Benson], 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:29. Minnie Bright, Coalcutter, C. J. Cox, Nationality, Fooliess, Brougham, Disagreement, and Tille ran.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Maltine, 105 [McCabey], 15 to 1, won; Bob Lynch, 105 [Garner], 18 to 5, second; Phelitor, 107 [Molesworth], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 1-5. Dan Norton, The Wolf, Lady Pariset, Camera, Lake Cates, Sioma, Miss Hardly, and Tipner ran.

Third race, 3 year olds, 1-16 mile—Martin W. Littleton, 110 [Austin], 7 to 5, won; Juarez, 110 [Lander], 16 to 1, second; Little Dick, 110 [Archibald], 6 to 5, third. Time, :42. Gwen, Timo, El Paso Lad, Salalis, and Brave Withers ran.

Fourth race, ⅝ mile—Palarolte, 114 [Page], 2 to 5, won; Ocean Queen, 108 [Garner], 7 to 2, second; The Fad, 103 [Ausdal], 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:13. King Cobalt ran.

Fifth race, ⅝ mile—Meddling Hannah, 105 [Page], 6 to 1, won; Lomond, 107 [Garner], 4 to 1, second; Howard Pearson, 98 [J. Wilson], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:12 2-5. Joe Ehrlich, Black Sky, Volumus, and Acqua ran.

Sixth race, ⅝ mile—Pelham, 106 [Page], 8 to 1, won; Duchess of Montebello, 107 [Small], 11 to 1, second; Gunston, 104 [Buttingstone], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:20. Busy Man, Albion H., Siberi, Rollers, Tillenor, Osteola, Tod, and Altenberg ran.

SPORTING CALENDAR.

THURSDAY, Feb. 3—Calvin Demarest vs. Albert Cline 18-2 billiard match, Orchestra hall. Hoppe vs. Morningstar, billiard match, Pittsburg. Basketball; Central A. A. U. 135 pound championships, De Paul university; Minnesota at Iowa. Fourth monthly handicap indoor track meet, Central Y. M. C. A.

FRIDAY, Feb. 4—Hoppe vs. Morningstar, billiard match, Pittsburg. Basketball, Central A. A. U. 135 pound championships, De Paul university. Fight, Jimmy Clabby vs. Mike (Twin) Sullivan, Milwaukee. Football rules committee meeting, New York.

SATURDAY, Feb. 5—Auto show opens at Coliseum. Auto races, New Orleans. Swim, I. A. C. vs. Missouri A. C., at St. Louis. Canadian ice skating championships, Montreal. Fight, Dick Hyland vs Grover Hayes, New Orleans. Basketball, Purdue at Chicago; Minnesota at Wisconsin; Indiana at Illinois; I. A. C. at Central Turner hall; McKinley H. S. at Culver; Hyde Park at Evanston; Oak Park at Central; Wilson Avenue at West Side; Central A. A. U. 135 pound championships, De Paul university. Speedway races, Douglas boulevard. Tank meet, Lane H. S. vs. Oak Park H. S. at Oak Park Y. M. C. A. Football rules committee meeting, New York.

SUNDAY, Feb. 6—Fight, Ray Bronson vs. Matty Baldwin, New Orleans. Auto races, New Orleans.

MONDAY, Feb. 7—Basketball, White Eagles at I. A. C. Intercity billiard tournament at Mussey's. Fight, Harry Forbes vs. "Knockout" Brown, Troy, N. Y.

TUESDAY, Feb. 8—Basketball, Chicago at Illinois; Purdue at Indiana. High school indoor baseball, Marshall at Crane, McKinley at North Division, Wendell Phillips at Lane, Medill at Lake. Intercity billiard tournament at Mussey's.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 9—A. A. F. 135 pound basketball championship, Wilson avenue Y. M. C. A.

STAGG OFF FOR GOTHAM TODAY

Maroon Coach Will Attend Football Rules Session.

WANTS SAFER, SANER GAME.

Hopes to Bring About Changes Minimizing the Injury List.

Director A. A. Stagg will leave for New York today to attend the sessions of the football rules committee, which will convene tomorrow in the hopes of framing up a set of rules which will bring about a safer game. Stagg is confident that some changes will be made, but just what these measures will be he declares he does not know.

While in the east the Maroon athletic chief will consult with heads of other colleges relative to next year's schedule. He has heard nothing from Cornell, and will endeavor to find out what is the cause for the delay.

"This much is absolutely certain," said Stagg yesterday. "The great majority of representatives want safer football. At the same time there are widely varying opinions as to what is best for the sport when it comes down to scientific rule making. Criticisms have been heaped upon the game of football, and justly, but making rules will not be so easy as making attacks.

"I shall go to the meeting keeping in mind the resolutions passed some time ago by the faculty here. The board has instructed me to do all in my power to improve the game with a view to minimizing the injury list. In making rules we must keep in mind not only the changes themselves but what effect they have on the other rules which are modified."

LOCATION SOUGHT FOR CLUB.

Northern Association Appoints Committee to Decide Which City Is to Get Vacant Franchise.

Seven clubs were on hand at the meeting of the newly organized Northern association at the Grand Pacific yesterday, but the choice of a city for the location of an eighth franchise was not made. It was left to a committee of three with power to fill the vacancy with the town which offered the best backing. Cedar Rapids, Sterling, La Salle, and Beardstown are either applicants or being considered.

E. M. Kehoe of Clinton was elected vice president of the league. The Clinton franchise has been offered to Ted Sullivan, the veteran manager, magnate, and raconteur, and he is considering the proposition. It involves giving him the franchise and a bonus, in return for which Sullivan is to provide players and secure his own manager for the team. He will leave today for Texas and expects to close the deal on his return if the promises are made good. Con Strouthers will manage the Jacksonville team and Ed Seivers the Elgin club.

It was voted to schedule 140 games, the season to begin on May 10 and close around Sept. 25.

FIVE GIANTS SIGN CONTRACTS.

Marquard, Schlei, Tenney, Merkle, and Herzog Fall in Line for This Year's Team.

New York, Feb. 2.—Pitcher Marquard, Catcher Schlei, Infielders Tenney and Merkle, and Outfielder Herzog signed with the New York National league club today. Marquard and Merkle are to go south with the first squad and Schlei, Herzog, and Tenney will go with the second squad. President Lynch of the National league probably will issue a call for the annual spring meeting of his organization tomorrow. The meeting will be held here either on Feb. 15 or 16.

Orders All Reds Vaccinated.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—All the Reds will have to be vaccinated before they report for spring training, says Manager Griffith. He has come to the opinion that it isn't safe to risk having his men exposed to smallpox in the south, and he will soon mail letters to this effect to each of the players, asking that they be vaccinated at once.

Byrne Signs Pirates' Contract.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 2.—Robert M. Byrne, Pittsburg's third baseman, who broke his ankle in the last of the world's series games at Detroit, has forwarded his signed contract to the Pittsburg club. Byrne writes that his broken ankle has healed and that he will report March 10.

CITY LEAGUE BOWLERS IN FORM.

Dust-to-Gos Average 1,009 1-3 and Twice Defeat Brunswicks—Three Straight to O'Learys.

The Dust-to-Gos stirred the pins up for a four-figure average in the City Bowling league last night, averaging 1,009 1-3 against the Brunswicks and winning two games after dropping the first by a single pin. An even closer battle took place between the leading O'Learys and Chalmers-Detroits in the same league, O'Leary's tribe taking three straight games, the first two by margins of three pins in each case. The Canaryes found easy picking in the Telonettes series, while the Harper Ryes downed the national champions, the Lipmans, twice, 985 for the losers to 986 for the Harpers.

HALF DOZEN SIGN LOCAL CONTRACTS

Four Cubs and Two Sox Players Attach Their Names to Documents.

MURPHY OFF FOR SOUTH.

Leaves for New Orleans to Arrange Hotel Accommodations for Big Squad.

BY I. E. SANBORN.

Six ball players, four of them Cubs and the other two Sox, sent to headquarters yesterday the signed documents which will entitle them to draw salary on the first and fifteenth of each playing month if they stick around. The signers are Jack Pfiester, Joe Stanley, Frank Pfeffer, and Levi Knapp of the Cubs, and Fred Olmstead and Royal Shaw of the Sox.

Only two of this half dozen are unknown to Chicago fans. Knapp is a pitcher obtained for the west side team from the Wilkesbarre club of the New York State league. How much Levi contributed to winning the pennant for his team is not disclosed by the records of that circuit, because the pitching averages are not a part of that league's dope, apparently. Shaw was secured by Comiskey from the Worcester team of the New England league. He was rated as a slugger in that company, batting fifth with an average of .321, and evidently helped his team to become champions of that league by his stick work. He played third base and his fielding figures were .894, ranking him in the second division of third sackers for the league.

Pfiester and Stanley Known.

Pfiester and Stanley both are known quantities to local rooters. Jack probably will continue to be the Cub mainstay when a sou'paw is needed on the slab. Stanley is expected to be displaced by the trade which brings Beaumont to Chicago. If Beau does not beat Sheckard or Schulte out of a regular berth it's a cinch the new outfielder will be first assistant gardener, while, if Sheckard or Schulte is displaced either will be a stronger utility man than Stanley proved last season.

Frank Pfeffer formerly wore a Cub uniform in the summer after his graduation from the University of Illinois. He returns after several years' seasoning with the Boston Nationals and the Toronto Eastern league team.

Fred Olmstead has been on the White Sox roster a couple of times before and was secured from Minneapolis last fall on an option contract. He pitched several games for the Sox at the end of the season and looked good. He has been wintering in Wagner, Okla. Shaw lives in North Yakima, Wash., and will report to the training squad when it reaches the coast, on March 1.

President Murphy of the Cubs left for the south last night, to be gone the rest of the week, and the chief purpose of his trip is to arrange hotel accommodations for the Cubs when they go there in March. The Mardi Gras, which opens today, and the possible sale of Cub recruits are incidental to the trip. Tom Needham sent word he expected to go to Hot Springs for a couple of weeks in advance of the training trip.

At Sox headquarters it was asserted the wreck in which Presidents Johnson and Comiskey were mixed up occurred before the hunters reached Memphis and that nobody was at all serious. A delayed telegram from Comiskey brought the announcement nobody was hurt.

A. A. Umpire Signs Up.

President Chivington of the American association received the signed contract of William Bierhalter as a member of his umpire staff. Bierhalter, whose home is in Columbus, was a member of the American association staff in 1908, but umpired in the Ohio State league last season. He has dabbled some in the art of boxing and gave satisfaction as an arbitrator in both circuits.

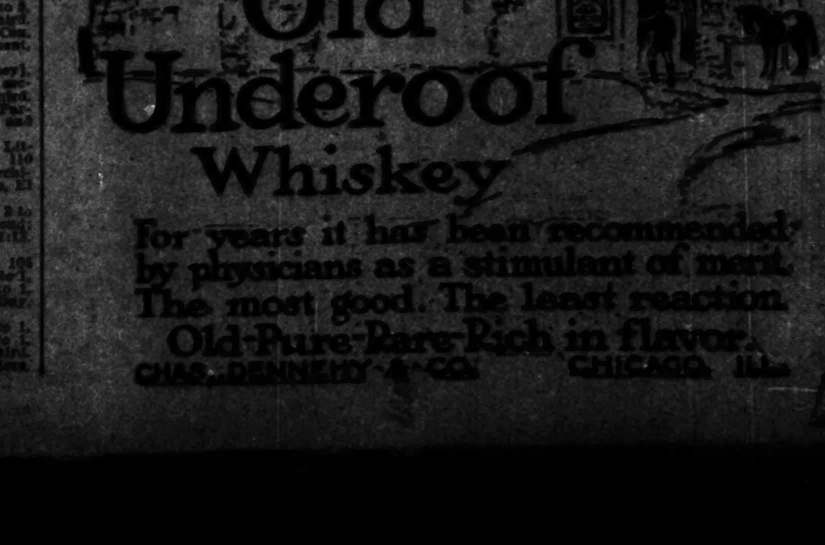
President Tearney of the Three Eye league returned from Dubuque considerably under the weather. He expected to continue his trip yesterday, but a heavy cold compelled him to postpone the rest of it.

Walter Jamison, who has been playing with the North Division high school team for the last three years, is to get a tryout with the Danville club of the Three Eyes league, of which Jack McCarthy is the new manager.

"BUG" HOLLIDAY NEAR DEATH.

Veteran Baseball Star's Leg Amputated to Save Life, but Doctors Give Up Hope.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 2.—Bug Holliday, one of the most popular ball players who ever wore a Cincinnati uniform, is dying at his home in this city. He was at one time the idol of the fans, but for the last three years he has been failing and much of the time has been confined to his bed. His left leg became infected and several months ago it was found necessary to amputate it. It is now declared that there is no hope for his life. He has been living mainly on his strength of will for some time, the doctors having given him up long ago. No baseball player in the history of the local organization has ever been fêted as was Holliday in his prime.



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THE SEED CATALOGUE.

Dirty snow is still piled high in city yards; the walks are glassy with ice bearing here and there pools of water on its surface. The trees are leafless and such evergreen shrubs as are to be seen are drab and unattractive as the skies above them. Furnaces are still sighing in city cellars and the robin has not made his appearance—even in Mont Clare—but, in spite of all these things, there are signs that spring will yet come, and the chiefest of these is the appearance of seed catalogues.

We may despair, at the lingering of winter, that the vernal season may not come. Verdure may be backward, the birds may delay their appearance, the groundhog may retire into its hole, we may have every reason to think that a new glacial epoch is going to set in, but when all other signs fail the mail brings us the flower dealers' catalogues, and then hope for better days springs again in the breast.

And what a thing of beauty it is! What a riot of color its cover presents, with its foreground of gorgeous sweetpeas, lilac bushes, and violets, and great stretches of greensward fading into the distance, and prospects of garden pavilions and pergolas! What thrills these catalogues contain for city and suburban souls! What joyous anticipations are called up of soil digging and seed planting in the weeks to come! What consultations will take place as to what shall be planted and where!

Take gladioli, for instance. Shall we select the soft lavender pink variety, almost white, the sort with the long spikes and spreading bloom, or the scarlet crimson kind with the broad white splashes on the lower petals? Now, there is a subject on which eloquence will be used these late winter evenings. Perhaps we shall select the former and let the scarlet banners be borne by the bold and glorious cannas. But when it comes to asters, there is where there is variety of shade from pure white through every conceivable tint to dark blue on one hand and deep blood red on the other. Lavender, daybreak pink, sunlight, sulphur yellow, and "Miss Roosevelt, primrose turning to flesh." If none of these please, there is the "Giant comet or poodle aster" and the "Queen of Spain, turning to blush, a very desirable sort."

Do not forget the calliopsis, the campanula, and the candy tuft, the celosia or feathered coxcomb, the bridal robe chrysanthemum, the coccinea indica, the ten foot scarlet fruited ivy leafed climber, the giant orchid flowered cyclamen, the double dahlias, the garden pinks of shades from white to double red, the hollyhocks, mignonette, larkspur, morning glory. Be not afraid to encounter atropurpureum, for it is only a variety of nasturtium, and rich and velvety at that; nor pyrethrum, for, although it is feverfew, it is not contagious.

Although soiled snow now covers the garden, and the spades and trowels are a bit rusted through wintering in the basement, the back yard earth will soon appear ready for the planting, the old black earth which will welcome the seeds you put in its bosom. And, sooner than you now hope for, there will be crocus and narcissus coming up through the grass, morning-glories clambering up the porch, gold and red nasturtiums among the old grapevine along the wall, and a blaze of color everywhere.

NO POETS IN MISSOURI.

Poeta nascitur non fit—except in Missouri. At the state university there will be established a course in writing poetry under the direction of the English department. Poets are really to be made, in contradiction to the old saying. For years the university has offered a prize of $100 for the best poem, but none worthy the money has ever been submitted by a student.

This seems almost unbelievable. Missouri is the fit home of poetical children. The stately Mississippi, the grandeur of the river which gives the state its name; the noble Ozark mountains; its chief products, the mule and the corn cob pipe—such things, one might think, would inspire the veriest clod to poetic expression. And yet we cannot recollect a single poet of distinction.

Yet there is Kansas with nothing poetic about it. Turbulence, grasshoppers, and Murdock, the insurgent, are all it has given to the history of the country. It has no natural beauty. It has the topography of a pancake, and yet see its poets. Will Allen White, Walt Mason, Ed Howe, and "Ironquill," to go no further. The census will show one and a quarter poets to every square mile in Kansas. Why should one state reek with poetic genius and the state just across the line have not even an inglorious Milton?

FOR POSTAL SAVINGS BANK.

The Republicans said in the party platform of 1908, "We favor the establishment of a postal savings bank system for the convenience of the people and the encouragement of thrift." The voters having put the party in power, it is its duty to do the things it had said it would do if given an opportunity. It could not be more profitably occupied than in conveniencing the people and encouraging thrift.

The advocates of new legislation are apt to be oversanguine as to the benefits to accrue from it. Making all allowance for that tendency in this case, it is manifest that the postal savings bank would encourage thrift and discourage hoarding. To what extent it would do so can be told only by trial. It would be experimental legislation as far as this country is concerned.

There are whole states and parts of states where savings banks are unknown. Their inhabitants would be convenienced by placing almost at their doors the facilities now denied them. The newcomers from Europe, accustomed at home to the postal savings bank, would be its immediate patrons if the system were established here. The government would become the custodian of the money they now carry about on their persons or put in private banks run by their countrymen, who often decamp with the funds.

There are many persons who have no faith in banks. They consider them all unsafe. But they have perfect confidence in Uncle Sam. How many there may be of these people is a matter of pure conjecture, but the total sum hidden away by them which would be drawn from its hiding places and put in circulation if there were a postal savings bank must be considerable. There are other persons who, distrusting the banks, spend what they would otherwise save. They would be encouraged to be thrifty when a bank that they knew would not break was established.

The furious opposition of the savings banks to the new departure does not reflect much credit on their intelligence. The higher rate of interest they pay would be their protection. The postal savings bank would in the main reach only people who are not and will not be reached by them.

Whether the one-quarter of 1 per cent which the government would exact of banks in which it deposited money on which it would pay 2 per cent would cover the expense it would be put to in administering the system can be determined by experience alone. If there were to be a small deficit it would be incurred in a good cause—conveniencing the people and encouraging thrift.

THE MISSOURI CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION.

Considerable emphasis was laid on the result of the election in the Sixth Illinois congressional district when William J. Moxley was chosen to fill the Lorimer vacancy on a standpat platform and against an independent Republican and a Democrat. Attention now may be directed to the Sixth Missouri district, in which C. C. Dickinson, a Democrat, has been elected to fill a vacancy. His majority over the Republican candidate was 3,791 votes, according to the returns now available.

The late Congressman De Armond's majority in the district in the general election of 1908 was 2,160. An increase of over 1,500 in the Democratic majority is indicated. Local conditions, of which no knowledge is yet available, probably played their part, but in spite of the fact that the district is Democratic, the Missouri Republicans had been more than hopeful. In an early discussion of the probabilities several weeks before the election, the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, Republican, said of the contest:

> Democratic principles are hard to define. Republican principles, on the other hand, are distinctly before the country, and the national policies now in force and making daily history are those of the party to which the people have confided the continued control of all departments of the government. The Republicans of Missouri are burdened with no unseemly division. They will win if they get out the full vote.

The results do not seem to have warranted the optimism.

THE GREAT BETRAYAL.

> Persons can betray a trust out of office as much as in. The nonvoter, in a mild way, is as much a grafter as any dishonest politician. He steals the time that others devote to government for the benefit of his own affairs.

Ald. Merriam has given a new edge to one of the most deplorable of truisms. This rebuke to indifferent citizenship is stinging, but deserved. We who have created and propose to maintain a democracy must realize more definitely that each and every man is a trustee for good government in the broadest sense, and that in the measure of his indifferency to his political responsibilities he is an accomplice of the political crook and the official sluggard. He betrays not only himself but his neighbor. He is his brother's keeper.

The trust is even wider than this. As Ald. Merriam reminds us, "the citizen who does not vote not only imposes on the living but imposes on the dead who fought for his political liberty and upon posterity who are entitled that that liberty shall be passed on, uninjured, to them."

The citizen's oath is to support and defend the constitution and the laws, and bear true faith and allegiance to the same. These traditional phrases might well be expanded so as to include more explicitly a declaration of his assumption of the positive political duties of citizenship. No man should be given the suffrage until he is formally pledged to use reasonable diligence to acquaint himself with the fitness of candidates and with the public questions submitted to the electorate, and to exercise the privilege granted with a purpose single to the common good.

Such an oath would be words, and words only, like the present brief formula. But it would bring before the voter at least once the vital political fact that the suffrage is not a mere privilege, but a grave duty, not a gratuity, but a moral contract between himself and his country.

UNIFIED ADMINISTRATION.

The president of the drainage board, in his annual message, emphasizes the practical or administrative side of the argument upon which the Ton bill is based. He speaks of the urgent need for enabling legislation which shall give to the city adequate harbor facilities, and he points out that only by placing this work in the hands of the drainage board "can there be avoided a clashing of authority and awkwardness resulting from plural bodies exercising authority over the same subject matter."

> With the present canal extending far beyond the limits of Chicago, with the Evanston canal under construction northward, and with the necessity of building still another waterway to the south beyond the limits of the city, it seems impossible to turn the entire control of our waterways over to the Chicago city government, and then, by process of elimination, we have nothing left but the officials of the sanitary district.

The proposal embodied in the Ton bill is not in fact opposed to the tendency toward a simplification and unification of local government, but is a measure which unifies the physical administration and control of the waters of the Chicago district. It may be that in time the city will gather to itself all of these powers. But in the meantime we have to face the fact that our whole local system of waters is an entity and should be under the responsible control of the body which now has most to do with its development.

THE TRIBUNE believes that these are formal questions of importance and strongly support the Ton bill plan. But if they are open to debate, it seems to THE TRIBUNE, there is no such room for argument on the financial phase of the situation. Either the sanitary board must do this work or the city must farm it out at a disadvantage to a private corporation. The city cannot do it, and its situation is known. There is no chance to negotiate for good terms, because the city has virtually no alternative to fall back upon if terms are hard.

The Ton bill should be passed in this emergency—for it is an emergency and a serious one. If formal or administrative difficulties arise later they can be adjusted. But the harbor will be saved to the people.

"WINTER is now two-thirds gone," chirps the Ohio State Journal. Let us see about that. Winter began its official existence Dec. 22, at 6:12 a. m. At 6:12 this morning, therefore, the winter is one month and twelve days old, and consequently is less than half gone. Please revise your calculations, esteemed neighbor.

IF your gas bill is too high you can boycott the gas company, of course, but we have a conviction amounting almost to a certainty that this will not bring about any reduction in the price of gas.

PARIS guides who may offer to show visitors "where the tunnel caved in" need not be suspected of evil designs. The "caved in" places are there.

DILIGENT inquiry fails to substantiate the rumor that Dr. Cook also came out of his hole yesterday.

DISPATCHES from Paris supply abundant evidence that in America the cost of living is not interfering noticeably with the joy of giving.

CLOSE students of history, however, are familiar with the fact that eggs are usually high at this season of the year.

IN A MINOR KEY.

An Easy One.

"Tommy, do you know the meaning of 'prehensile'?"

"No, ma'am."

"It means 'adapted to seize.' Do you think you can remember that?"

"Yes'm."

"Give me a sentence in which the word is correctly used."

"'See the good ship, how prehensile it is!'"

Has Escaped Thus Far.

"What a curious thing this universal habit of gum chewing is!" remarked the philosophical boarder.

"What's curious about it?" asked the argumentative boarder.

"Nobody has mentioned it as one of the causes of the high cost of living."

Noble Revenge.

"Margie, if grandpa was cross to you, you must be kind to him."

"What for, mamma?"

"Don't you know, child? It will be heaping coals of fire on his head."

"Will it, mamma? Then I'll be just as kind as I can be to the old crosspatch. You know how bald he is!"

Distinction.

Stranger [in Drearyhurst]—"What's this town noted for? Anything in particular?"

Uncle Welby Gosh—"Yes, sir. Mrs. Gunness hain't never been found here, Doc Cook ain't hidin' nowheres in this neighborhood, and we're not tryin' to git the Jeffries-Johnson prizefight."

Aloft and Alow.

The traveler was taking his first view of Chicago.

"There are so many irregularities in your sky line," he said.

"Well, you'll hear the same thing about our tunnel lines," observed the native, with some hesitation.

Where He Drew the Line.

Bulwer was writing "A Strange Story."

"I am not trying, though," he said, "to make anybody believe that milk can't be sold at less than 8 cents a quart without losing money on it."

For well he knew that the human imagination, though willing to be led by a master intellect along the shadowy, dreamy borderland of the supernatural, balks at the palpably and absurdly impossible.

By the Gradual Reduction Process.

Rayner—"Have you got to the point of doing without beef yet?"

Shyne—"Not quite, but we're training down to it. Week before last we lived on chuck steak. Last week we bought nothing but beef hearts and kidneys. This week we are eating pickled tripe. Next week we'll be ready to tackle anything." C. W. T.

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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DONA MARIA TELLEZ-GIRON, in her own right sixteenth duchess of Benavente, seventeenth duchess of Gandia, owner of many other equally historic titles, a lady of the palace to the young queen of Spain, and a lineal descendant of the old time kings of Leon, has just instituted proceedings at Madrid for a judicial separation from her husband, the duke, in consequence of his capture and subsequent indictment as the leader of the gang of counterfeiters who for several years have been flooding Spain and continental Europe with counterfeit Spanish money.

His name was originally Emilio Bessieres, and he was a member of the legislature at Madrid, acquiring, according to Spanish law, the right to share the ducal honors of his wife when he married the only daughter and heiress of the thirteenth duke of Osuna and niece of the twelfth duke of that ilk, perhaps the most magnificent of Spanish statesmen and ambassadors of the nineteenth century.

At the coronation of Alexander II. of Russia, when the Austrian special ambassador, with his diamond studded coat of fabulous value, which cost him thousands of dollars each time that he wore it, owing to the injury to the larger stones and to the loss of the smaller ones, vied in splendor with Emperor Napoleon's plenipotentiary and half brother, the extravagant Duc de Morny, the duke of Osuna excelled them all in magnificence, and his wealth was so great that it was asserted at the time that he could have driven all the way from Madrid to Moscow and have slept each night in one of his own châteaux or palaces.

It is said that each of these castles and palaces, no matter where he might be at the time, was held in readiness for his immediate occupation all the year round, the servants being in full livery every morning and a handsome dinner held in readiness by the chef for his arrival, no matter if the duke were at the other end of the world. Not only would he accept no salary or allowance for his diplomatic services, but he insisted on maintaining the entire staff of secretaries, attachés, clerks, and servants of his embassy at his own expense in a most luxurious manner, and there are no end of stories told of his utter regardlessness of money.

Under the circumstances it is not altogether surprising that although at the outset of his career his fortune was estimated at considerably over $100,000,000, his affairs were in an embarrassed condition at his death, while the Monte Christolike extravagance of his widow, by birth a Princess Eleanor of Salm-Salm, completed the ruin. She survived him for several years, marrying the late duke of Croy of Belgium, father of Archduchess Frederick of Austria, and although over 40 years of age, was so fascinating as to captivate the affections of the late King Alfonso and to become the heroine of one of the most sensational romances in which he was concerned.

Her death was followed by the sale by public auction of the contents of the Osuna palace at Madrid and of the other Osuna châteaux in Spain. The sale lasted for months, and to convey an idea of the extent of the property brought under the hammer, I may mention that it included twenty superb gilt and crystal stage coaches, masterpieces of eighteenth century panel painting and cabinet making; an armory so extensive that an entire regiment of medieval cavalry might have been fully equipped therefrom without exhausting its resources; gold and silver plate by the ton; priceless manuscripts and ancient folios; and unique examples of medieval jewelry, besides paintings and statuary galore. There were also all the ecclesiastical robes of the first duke of Gandia, ancestor of the nineteenth century dukes of Osuna, and also of the present duchess of Benavente and of Gandia.

This first duke of Gandia was the brother of Lucrezia Borgia—son of Pope Alexander VI., born prior of course, to the latter's elevation to the chair of St. Peter. The duke of Gandia, after attaining the rank of cardinal in the church, was relieved by the pontiff of his ecclesiastical rank and obligations and after marrying was murdered by the retainers of his brother, Cæsar Borgia, the crime constituting the theme of many dramas, tragedies, and novels by Victor Hugo, Alexandre Dumas, and others. This second duke of Gandia, after his father's murder, returned from Rome to Spain, and toward the end of his life entered those holy orders which his father had forsaken, became a monk, and has since been canonized as St. Francis de Borgia. The above, then, shows the ancestry of the duchess of Benavente and of Gandia, whose husband is now in prison, charged with counterfeiting and with being the leader of a gang in which some other prominent people in Spain are concerned.

Reports that the Austrian emperor's only surviving brother, Archduke Louis Victor, would ever be permitted to resume his place at court and in society at Vienna, from both of which he so long has disappeared, have been definitely set at rest by the sale of his fine palace on the Schwarzenberg square of the Austrian metropolis to the Association of Military Science and of Army Clubs.

The archduke was permitted last August to visit the emperor on the occasion of the celebration of the latter's seventy-ninth birthday at Ischl and to take part in the family dinner in honor of the occasion, this being the first meeting of the archduke with his brother and his other relatives in near a decade.

Many regarded this meeting as indicating a restoration of the archduke to his former place in Viennese life. But their expectations have been disappointed. The archduke returned to his home, the castle of Klessheim, near Salzburg, where he remains, and presumably will spend the remainder of his days in strict seclusion and in a sort of gilded captivity as an invalid, not wholly accountable for his actions.

In connection with the stories concerning the late Lord Percy, which ascribe his injuries and death to a duel with a brother of an English woman of whom he is said to have spoken slightingly, it may be said that Englishmen of birth occasionally still participate in combats of this kind. English law is severe in punishing not only the principals, but also the seconds of a duel, treating the latter either as attempted murder or murder, if the combat results fatally.

On the other hand, an officer of the English army, navy, or diplomatic service who declines to fight a duel when abroad is certain to be requested by his chiefs to resign his commission, his virtual dismissal being followed by his being dropped by his London club.

It is all right to say that dueling is against the law in England. It is forbidden by the law of every continental country. And one may argue as much as one likes that encounters of this kind are contrary to the ethics of English speaking people; but the fact remains that if an English government officer refuses to respond to a challenge, his career is virtually at an end. Time and again have the authorities in England winked at duels fought on foreign soil by men holding the commission of either Queen Victoria or King Edward. But woe betide the man who declines a cartel!

Among others who have been ruined by a too blind obedience to the law of their native land in this connection may be mentioned the Hon. Frederick Arthur Wellesley, son of the first Lord Cowley, now the husband of Evelyn, duchess of Wellington, and one who was forced out of the diplomatic service and out of the army, in which he held a lieutenant colonelcy of the Coldstream guards, besides forfeiting his office of K. D. C. to the late queen, for having declined to accept a challenge to fight a duel while British chargé d'affaires at Vienna.

That is why English diplomats and English naval and military officers are obliged to be particularly circumspect in their relations with foreigners, especially on the continent of Europe. They know that if they become involved in any dispute and receive a challenge they are compelled to fight, under a penalty of the ruin of their career and social ostracism; while if they do fight their government can only afford to wink at the matter as long as it is kept quiet. The moment the affair became public the war department, the admiralty, or the foreign office, as the case might be, would have no alternative but to place the offender on the retired list, lucky, indeed, if nothing worse were to befall him.

PINCHOT IS ALL RIGHT.

[Peoria Herald-Transcript.]

Gifford Pinchot has made a statement regarding his discharge from the service of the government. Of course, Mr. Pinchot realizes, or ought to realize, that he could not remain in office and make war on the head of the department he served, but aside from this Mr. Pinchot is all right and the people of the United States who understand the situation are with him.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

Poeta Pants, oh poetess sublime,
It is to you that I address this wail.
Inspired by your Odes I've used a bale
Of Bond in vain attempts to learn to rhyme.
My waking hours as well as that sweet time
When Morpheus doth his friends with dreams regale
I've spent in shifting verbs till I'm as pale
As any ghost that haunts a scene of crime.

If you possess a heart, and I am sure
You do—I feel it throbbing in your verse—
Then, either please suggest some speedy cure,
Some charm to counteract this rhyming curse,
Or, since 't was you that got me started on it,
Teach me, at least, the way to write a sonnet.

K. M. S.

MR. RODMAN WANAKER of Philadelphia offers to provide bread for the Paris flood victims. If Marie Antoinette were alive she would probably inquire artlessly, "Why don't they eat French toast and French fried potatoes?"

THE BEST IS YET TO COME.

Dear Editor: O, that odeous ode! I, too, am a Wedding Guest. I hear the loud bassoon, and I beat my breast, but to no avail. Mr. Alloway holds me with his glittering ode, and I cannot choose but hear! Is the rime as long as that of the Ancient Mariner? But no, don't tell me. There are things that one would best not know.

LOUISE.

"IS New York provincial?" asks the Chicago Post. Certainly not. New York knows very little about itself, less about New York state, and almost nothing about the United States. It is interested in three things—money, food, and clothes. Its idea of hell is to lose your money. But New York is not provincial; it is merely, as its own Evening Post maintains, self-centered.

SCANDALOUS, WE SHOULD SAY.

[From the Ladies' Home Journal.]

"It is the grief of Mrs. Deland's literary career that she is not known, as is Mrs. Humphry Ward, as Mrs. Lorin Deland."

SIGN in a State street department store: "Silks and Satans." Not so far out of the way.

OUR COUNTRY'S FATHER.

AN ODE, BY CHARLES R. ALLOWAY.

[With a portrait of the author.]

Our conquered ones do great sorrow feel,
But we whipped them fairly upon the battlefield.
He thought to now retire from public employment,
And live once more with his family was bent.

Envious of none, he was determined to be pleased with all.
This, dear friends, was the order of his March and Call.
His wish was to move quietly down the stream of life,
And peacefully rest beside his Fathers—free from Care and Strife.

[To be continued.]

IF, as Mr. Sullivan believes, pugilism and baseball appeal more strongly to the American boy than feats of arms, some one is missing a chance to put miniature Sullivans and Tinkers on the Christmas market, to replace the tin soldier.

A FEATHERED TRIBE.

Up in Boone county a Miss Parrott has just married. Her stepfather's name is Bird and her sister-in-law is named Peacock, while her father-in-law is a prominent member of the local Eagle lodge. That girl's nest ought to be pretty well feathered.—Elgin Courier.

"LET the French manage their Rhone river," writes A. Smith. We had no thought of interfering.

THE ADVENTURES OF NIC.

Galena, Ill., Feb. 1.—At Grant's old home. It's a hill of a town. They call the natives the "Climbers." Every old resident will tell you he knew Grant "when he couldn't get trusted to a sack of flour." [He must have lived on bacon and hominy.] I'd hate to stumble anywhere in the neighborhood of Grant's home and roll down to the main street. [Perhaps he lived on rolls.] Ore mining is the principal industry. The hills are also lined and double-leaded. They dig up line-o'-types in the rough. The natives are prejudiced against water, as it interferes with mining; consequently, no Wagon. On my way rejoicing—because I am.

NIC COLDWATER.

P. S.—Jim Jeffries runs a hotel here, but not the immortal Jim.

MR. PHILLIPS, a member of T. R.'s tennis cabinet, got married yesterday. The gentleman on the night desk who is "reading" the story thinks that some comment about a love set might be added.

The Cannery.

"Well known in north shore social circles."
"Well known belle." [Unless applied to Mrs. Gunness.]
"Thundering down the ages."
"Footsteps of coming millions."
"Then, and not till then."
"'Tis said."

Note: During the billiard tournament Mr. J. G. Davis is permitted to use "Clicked off 25," "Control of the spheres," "Amassed a total of," and "Fell down on an easy draw."

IT is the "firm belief" of Dr. Horace Fletcher that "meat will cease to be eaten in America in the next ten years." It is our equally firm belief that the doctor is the victim of an amiable delusion.

"OLD FAITHFUL'S" ONLY RIVAL.

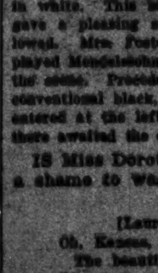
William Faversham and Julie Opp stalk dramatically with great repose and splendid understanding through these stalwart, hideous, and sturdily poetic embroilments of superb rhetoric.—Amy Leslie.

TO beef boycotters: Try "Fried Hats." Fifth avenue and Jackson boulevard.

The Oubliette.

Through the Little Door—

The solicitous person who rouses you from a pleasant nap to inquire whether you are asleep.



The publisher whose bookkeeper is always "on a vacation" when royalties are due.

The motorman who throws on full power to prevent you from catching the car.

The monologist who opens with, "To look at me you wouldn't think I was married."

The gent who cries, "Now, ladies and gentlemen, the samples we have just passed out among you are the old reliable double jointed Spanish peanuts. They are roasted in this theater daily, etc."

WHY not, in the department of commerce, a bureau for investigating the expense accounts of commercial travelers, newspaper reporters, polar explorers, and others.

ESCAPED FROM THE CANNERY.

The services began with a very appropriate Bridal Chorus from Rose Maiden by sixteen girl friends of the bride who were dressed in white. This beautiful selection was so well rendered that it gave a pleasing sense of sacredness to the ceremony which followed. Mrs. Foster Swiengel, who presided at the piano, then played Mendelssohn's Wedding March which called the principals to the scene. Preceded by five ministers, the groom, dressed in the conventional black, and the groomsman, S. T. Walker of Atwood, entered at the left of the pulpit and descended to the altar and there awaited the coming of the bride.—Atwood (Ill.) Herald.

IS Miss Dorothy Hesler going on the stage? It were a shame to waste all that good advertising.

THE KANSAN MUSE.

[Laura Hendrick in La Harpe Journal.]

Oh, Kansas, thou art the state for me,
The beautiful sunflower state;
Where the birds always sing and the roses we bring,
To crown thee, state of all states.

Where the fresh breeze blows and the melody goes,
And the air is always serene;
In Kansas I abide and am satisfied,
For she is queen of queens.

You may go where you may, and search all day,
But no other place can be found
Where the gas always flows and the wind always blows
Through the whole year around.

I have traveled east, I have traveled west,
I have lived by the sounding sea;
But give me Kansas, I love her best;
There is no other place for me.

"MILK at 8 cents a quart is not too high," says the secretary of the Milk Producers' association. Not if one have the 8 cents.

DR. WILEY'S floating egg test is what "Larry" Sherman would call "an aquatic dream."

THEATER announcement: "Tonight. See Me Only Child and Two Others."

THAT Boston navy scandal makes a fine Anti-Scraul tale.

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B. L. T.

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LINCOLN REPUBLICAN.

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[...] BARTOS, 24 [...].

IS MRS. LAVENDER MARRIED OR NOT?

Defense Contends Wedlock of Pastor Crawford's Accuser Was Not Proved.

ASKS DISMISSAL OF SUIT.

Judge Mangan Will Decide This Morning on Motion of Minister's Lawyers.

Is Mary A. Lavender, plaintiff in a $50,000 damage suit against the Rev. Dr. Edward B. Crawford, a married woman or not?

Despite the fact that her husband has been one of the spectators during the sessions of the trial thus far, this point was one of those over which opposing counsel contended for five hours yesterday in the court's chambers.

Attorney Benson Landon, representing the defense, argued it had not been proved that Mrs. Lavender is married. He used this in connection with other counts, in support of the petition to have the case taken from the jury.

As a result of the conference between attorneys and the court, the prosecution will file an amended bill of particulars this morning, after which Judge Mangan will rule on the motion to dismiss the case.

Points Raised by the Defense.

Attorneys for Dr. Crawford attacked the bill of particulars filed by Mrs. Lavender's lawyers, arguing that:

No damages had been alleged or proved.

The declaration was not drawn in accord with the evidence submitted.

Statements made by Dr. Crawford were "privileged communications."

Words used in the declaration were not of themselves slanderous.

It was not shown that Mrs. Lavender is a married woman.

Attorneys for the prosecution at adjournment said an amended declaration would arise.

"It has been pointed out that the words 'improper relations' in our bill are not of themselves slanderous," said Attorney George F. Ort. "We will amend that, and in place of 'improper relations' will substitute expressions used by Witness Lait on the stand. That will make it strong enough to remove doubt as to whether it is slanderous or not. I don't think we will have trouble in showing that Mrs. Lavender is married."

Young Girls to Be Kept Out.

Bailiff E. J. Calder exercised precaution to prevent the attendance at the trial of girls under age. One young woman attracted the attention of the bailiff by a youthful countenance.

"I'm 18, but if you think I'd better go I will," she said.

Calder told her the testimony was of a character she ought not listen to, and with a friend she hurriedly left the courtroom.

"I'm not going to have young girls or young boys here if I can prevent it," the bailiff said. "If they don't know what is good for them, I do."

The case will be taken up at 10 o'clock this morning.

THREATEN FIGHT ON OFFICIALS.

Striking Clerks in County Treasurer's Office Anticipate an Attempt to Discharge Them.

The strike in the county treasurer's office threatens to resolve itself into a political warfare against the county officials who were responsible for the failure of the men to get an increase in their pay for overtime work, if any attempt is made to discharge the men from the positions they hold. This political war, it was said yesterday, would be extended to officials of any other city or county office which furnished strikebreakers in the county treasurer's office. Chief Clerk Otto Rensie said the strikers were "only a few disgruntled fellows," and expressed the opinion that the strike would not seriously hamper the work of the office.

Priest to Talk on "Joan of Arc."

The Rev. Francis C. Kelley

The Very Rev. Francis Clement Kelley, D. D., LL. D., founder and president of the Catholic Church Extension society, will deliver an address on "Joan of Arc" at the club house of Marquette council, Chicago Knights of Columbus, 1126 Dearborn avenue, next Tuesday evening.

The address will be given on the occasion of "woman's night" at the council, and will be free to members and friends of the society.

Dr. Kelley is considered one of the ablest orators of the Catholic church in America. A musical program will precede the lecture.

SHOT HITS THE WRONG MAN.

Policeman Fires While Chasing Alleged Pickpocket and Wounds an Attorney.

Leon A. Berezniak, an attorney of Hammond, Ind., who has an office in the Fort Dearborn building, was slightly wounded in the knee by a bullet fired by Policeman J. D. Sullivan at one of three alleged pickpockets yesterday. The shooting took place at La Salle and Adams streets.

The fugitive, who was captured, gave the name Henry Milton. He is one of three who are said to have robbed A. D. Kinncard of Louisville, Ky., while on a Fulton street car.

Kinncard felt some one reach for his pocketbook and grabbed Milton. A policeman was called and while he was telephoning for a patrol wagon Milton fled and the officer opened fire.

Party for Austin Children.

Austin little folks will have a party this afternoon at the Oaks club, Waller avenue and Lake street, the occasion being the annual midwinter fancy dress cotillion under the direction of Prof. Frank Harris Peak. The little girls will wear boys' clothes and the boys will dress as girls.

ROADS ASK LIGHT ON COMMERCE LAW

Seek Board's View of Selling Coal to Needy in Times of Shortage.

PASSENGER FARES FIXED.

Will Be Same as Last Summer; Sugar Freight War Near End.

The interstate commerce commission has been asked by some of the western roads to pass on a complicated problem arising from the recent coal shortage. The railroads then faced the alternative of violating the commodities clause of the law or compelling some of the industries on their lines to shut down from lack of fuel.

The law prohibits a railroad from transporting and selling commercially coal and other commodities in which it is interested financially. The western roads have been affected little by the law because where they own coal mines the product is sold at the tipple, and so has passed out of the possession of the carrier before transportation begins. During the severe weather when coal was hard to get the roads in some instances disregarded the law and sold their own fuel to the industries that needed it.

Commissioner Harlan told the railroad men the interstate body had been obliged to wink at many such instances where strict observance of the law would have worked a hardship. To meet the situation in the future an effort will be made to secure the passage of an amendment to the law which will permit a railroad to sell its own coal during an emergency, under the supervision of the commission.

Passenger Fares Not Changed.

Passenger fares for conventions and special excursions this summer will be made on the same basis as during the last two or three years. This was determined at a meeting of a committee of general passenger agents yesterday representing the roads east of the Rocky mountains, following a meeting of the transcontinental lines last week at which the same decision was reached for Pacific coast travel.

A tentative agreement, which may result in a restoration of the sugar rate in effect before the recent "war" between the eastern and western roads, was reached at a conference of traffic officials. It will be submitted later to a general meeting.

Several years ago the rates were constructed so as to give the eastern lines from the seaboard most of the business of territory as far west as the Mississippi, while the roads north from New Orleans got the business of the western states. The latter recently reduced rates to some points in Ohio and Indiana, and the eastern lines retaliated by publishing low rates from the seaboard into the western states.

The western lines prevented the rates taking effect by filing nonconcurrences in the through tariffs.

W. M. Whitenton Is Advanced.

W. M. Whitenton, manager of the Choctaw and southern districts of the Rock Island at El Reno, has been appointed vice president and general manager of the Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf, with headquarters at Fort Worth, Tex. He succeeds J. W. Robbins, recently elected president of the Trinity and Brazos Valley. Mr. Whitenton will retain his present office.

J. F. Holden, until recently vice president and general manager of the Midland Valley railroad, and formerly freight traffic manager of the Rock Island at Chicago, on Feb. 15 becomes vice president of the Kansas City Southern railroad, succeeding E. F. Coal.

ROADS REFUSE WAGE DEMAND

Question of Strike Now Up to Firemen and Engineers.

32,000 ARE TO TAKE VOTE.

Proposition to Arbitrate Under Erdman Act May Be Accepted.

Demands for increased wages by the firemen on fifty-one western railroads were refused yesterday by the railroad general managers' committee. The railroads, as a counter proposition, offered to submit the dispute to arbitration under the Erdman act.

The question of peace or a strike of 32,000 firemen and enginemen will hinge on the outcome of a referendum vote, to be taken by the membership of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen.

The men demanded an increase of from 20 to 25 per cent. Coupled with this was one of representation, the firemen insisting on negotiating a wage scale for engineers who are members of the firemen's brotherhood, in addition to one for the firemen. This demand met a flat refusal.

May Agree to Arbitration.

President Carter of the brotherhood returned to Peoria to arrange for the work of submitting the answer of the railroads to a referendum vote of the members. This will take several days.

It was predicted by some of the firemen that the offer of arbitration will be accepted.

Of the 234,000 miles of railroads in the country, 190,000 miles are involved in the dispute. Some of the larger roads involved are the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, Chicago and Northwestern, Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, Frisco, Southern and Union Pacific, and the Northern Pacific.

Case of Switchmen Unsettled.

No decision has been reached in the wage conference between the railroads and the representatives of the switchmen who are members of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. The sessions probably will continue a week or ten days. The switchmen demand an increase of 5 cents an hour over the present scales.

Demands for increased wages of machinists and shop workers on twenty-seven railroads of the southwest will be presented at a conference of general managers and officers of the International Association of Machinists to be held in Chicago next week.

COLONIAL TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK

203 La Salle-St.

Statement at the Opening of Business February 1, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,645,931.33
Bonds		440,010.88
Furniture and fixtures		11,700.00
Cash and sight exchange	$1,641,458.82	
Call loans on collateral	210,800.00	1,852,258.82
		$5,949,900.53

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	600,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	516,492.88
Deposits	4,833,407.65
	$5,949,900.53

OFFICERS.

Hiram Holbrook Rose....President
Landon Cabell Rose....Vice President
William F. Van Buskirk....Vice President
R. C. Keller....Cashier
Emil Stuedli....Assistant Cashier
T. A. Fitzsimmons....Assistant Cashier

Central Trust Company of Illinois

152 Monroe Street, Chicago

Report of Condition at the Commencement of Business February 1, 1910.

RESOURCES

Demand Loans	$ 4,314,672.57
Time Loans	5,913,529.47
Bonds and Stocks	4,159,162.16
Bank Premises	775,000.00
Other Real Estate Owned	50,000.00
Overdrafts	1,959.30
Cash and Sight Exchange	4,392,509.54
	$19,6[illegible],843.04

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$ 2,000,000.00
Surplus	500,000.00
Undivided Profits	390,132.73
Dividends Unpaid	606.75
Deposits	16,807,103.56
	$19,6[illegible],843.04

OFFICERS

CHARLES G. DAWES....President
W. IRVING OSBORNE, A. UHRLAUB, E. F. MACK....Vice Presidents
WILLIAM R. DAWES....Cashier
L. D. SKINNER, W. W. GATES, JOHN W. THOMAS....Assistant Cashiers
ALBERT G. MANG....Secretary
MALCOLM McDOWELL, WILLIAM G. EDENS....Assistant Sec'y's
JOHN L. LEHNHARD....Asst. Trust Officer

DIRECTORS

A. J. Earling, President, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company.
P. A. Valentine, Capitalist.
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Charles T. Boynton, Pickands, Brown & Company.
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T. W. Robinson, Vice-President, Illinois Steel Co.
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Charles G. Dawes, Ex-Comptroller of Currency.

Central Trust Company of Illinois

152 Monroe St., between Clark & La Salle.

Banking, Savings and Trusts

Capital and Surplus - - - $ [illegible]
Deposits - - - - - 17,[illegible]

3% Interest from 1st of Month

allowed on savings deposited during first [illegible] business days of [illegible] month. Open all day Mondays until 8 p. m. for accommodation of [illegible] patrons.

Special facilities for handling checking accounts of individuals, firms and corporations. Interest allowed on satisfactory balances.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION —OF THE— DROVERS DEPOSIT NATIONAL BANK

Union Stock Yards, CHICAGO

At the Close of Business January 31, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$4,670,177.80
Overdrafts	[illegible]
United States and Other Bonds	781,072.00
Premiums on Bonds	[illegible]
Cash and Due from Banks	3,022,190.[illegible]
Total	$8,672,142.[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 600,000.00
Surplus and Profits	[illegible]
National Bank Notes Outstanding	[illegible]
Reserved for Taxes	[illegible]
Deposits	7,[illegible]
Total	$8,672,142.[illegible]

OFFICERS.

[illegible]

DIRECTORS.

[illegible]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION —OF THE— DROVERS TRUST & SAVINGS BANK

Halsted and Forty-second Streets, CHICAGO

Before the Commencement of Business Feb. 1, 1910.

RESOURCES.

U. S. and Other Bonds	$ [illegible]
Loans [Secured]	1,[illegible],872.00
Cash on Hand and in Banks	[illegible]
Total	$2,4[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 200,000.00
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes Paid	[illegible]
Reserved for Taxes and Interest	[illegible]
Savings Deposits	[illegible]
Total	$2,4[illegible]

OFFICERS.

WM. C. CUMMINGS, President
WM. A. TILDEN, Vice-President
MURRAY M. [illegible], Cashier
A. B. SHAW, Trust Officer

DIRECTORS.

Edward Tilden, [illegible], L. B. [illegible], Wm. C. Cummings

Comparative Value of Industrial Preferred Stocks

We have arranged the average earnings for six years of [illegible] leading industrial companies, with special reference to the comparative investment values of their preferred stocks.

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The National Bank of the REPUBLIC

OF CHICAGO

Statement of Condition at the Close of Business January 31, 1910.

RESOURCES

Loans	$17,9[illegible]
United States Bonds	1,76[illegible]
Real Estate	[illegible]
Cash and Exchange	10,9[illegible]
Total	$30,679,787.[illegible]

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$ 2,000,000.00
Surplus and Profits, net	1,17[illegible]
Reserved for Taxes	[illegible]
Currency in Circulation	1,7[illegible]
Bond Account	[illegible]
Deposits	2[illegible]
Total	$30,679,787.[illegible]

OFFICERS

JOHN A. LYNCH, President
R. M. McKINNEY, Cashier
THOS. JANSEN, Assistant Cashier
W. B. LAVINIA, Assistant Cashier
[illegible]

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

John A. Lynch....President
Charles H. Conover, Vice President, Hibbard, Spencer, Bartlett & Co.
Charles R. Crane....Vice President Crane Co.
John V. Farwell....Of John V. Farwell Co.
J. B. Greenhut....Capitalist, Peoria
H. W. Heinrichs....Vice President M. D. Wells Co.
Rollin A. Keyes....President Franklin MacVeagh & Co.
[illegible]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Fort Dearborn National Bank

CHICAGO

At the Close of Business Jan. 31, 1910

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$ 8,402,733.20
Overdrafts	3,245.14
United States Bonds, par value	1,000,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities	678,600.00
Real Estate	1,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	50,000.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	5,553,834.43
	$15,575,412.81

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$ 1,000,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	358,394.17
Circulation	994,597.50
Dividends Unpaid	184.50
Deposits	13,212,236.64
	$15,575,412.81

OFFICERS

WM. A. TILDEN, President.
NELSON N. LAMPERT, Vice President.
J. FLETCHER FARRELL, Vice President.
HENRY R. KENT, Cashier.
GEO. H. WILSON, Assistant Cashier.
CHARLES FERNALD, Assistant Cashier.

We solicit accounts of banks, corporations, firms and individuals, and we endeavor to give prompt and efficient service by prompt and courteous attention to our customers.

Illinois Trust & Savings Bank

Chicago

Statement February 1, 1910

RESOURCES

Demand Loans on Collateral	$26,058,612.24	
Time Loans on Collateral	31,104,227.00	
Loans on Real Estate	500,740.70	$57,663,579.94
Real Estate		14,716.90
Bonds and Stocks		18,695,087.74
Cash and Exchange		22,077,530.72
		$98,450,915.30

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In		$5,000,000.00
Surplus Fund		8,000,000.00
Undivided Profits		347,423.75
Demand Deposits	$26,386,993.12	
Time Deposits	58,716,498.43	85,103,491.55
		$98,450,915.30

REPORT OF CONDITION WESTERN TRUST & SAVINGS BANK

At the Commencement of Business February 1, 1910.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$7,[illegible]
Bonds	8[illegible]
Overdrafts	14,930.22
Cash and Sight Exchange	2,394,[illegible]
Furniture and Fixtures	12,500.00
	$10,514,919.04

LIABILITIES

Capital	$1,000,000.00
Surplus and Profits	[illegible]
Deposits	9,[illegible]
	$10,514,919.04

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS

February 1, 1908....$5,[illegible]
February 1, 1909....8,[illegible]
February 1, 1910....9,306,[illegible]

DIRECTORS.

Edgar A. Bancroft, Scott, Bancroft & Stephens
William C. Boyden, Matz, Fisher & Boyden, Attorneys
William Butterworth, President Deere & Co., Moline, Ill.
R. Floyd Clinch, Crerar, Clinch & Co., Coal
Granger Farwell, Pres. Farwell Trust Co.
[illegible]
John [illegible] Mitchell, Pres. Capital National Bank, St. Paul, Minn.
[illegible]
Walter [illegible]....City Comptroller

COLONIAL TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK

205 La Salle Street.

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CHICAGO BOSTON

[illegible] BLDG. [illegible] DEVONSHIRE ST.

INVESTMENT SECURITIES

Municipal, Railroad, Street Railway, Gas, Electric Light and Power Company Bonds.

ADVERTISE IN THE TRIBUNE.

THE LIVE STOCK EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK

OF CHICAGO

Statement of Condition at the Close of Business January 31, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$ 7,[illegible]
Overdrafts	4,541.15
United States Bonds	100,000.00
Other Bonds	[illegible]
Cash and Due from Banks	[illegible]
	$11,0[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 1,250,000.00
Surplus	400,000.00
Undivided Profits	[illegible]
Reserved for Taxes	[illegible]
Circulation	[illegible]
Dividends Unpaid	[illegible]
Deposits	[illegible]
	$11,0[illegible]

OFFICERS.

[illegible]

DIRECTORS.

[illegible]

Statement of Condition of THE HIBERNIAN BANKING ASSOCIATION

CHICAGO

Before the Commencement of Business February 1, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Time Loans		$16,[illegible]
Real Estate		[illegible]
Bonds and Securities	$4,701,[illegible]	
Demand Loans	2,[illegible]	
Cash and Exchange	4,[illegible]	11,[illegible]
		$2[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital		$ 1,[illegible]
Surplus		[illegible]
Undivided profits		[illegible]
Reserved for taxes and interest		[illegible]
Demand deposits	$ 4,[illegible]	
Time deposits	18,[illegible]	2[illegible]
		$2[illegible]

JOHN V. CLARKE, President
JOHN W. MacGEAGH, Cashier

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION —OF THE— STOCK YARDS SAVINGS BANK

Before the Commencement of Business February 1, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$1,[illegible]
Overdrafts	[illegible]
United States and Other Bonds	[illegible]
Cash and Due from Banks	[illegible]
	$[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ [illegible]
Surplus	[illegible]
Undivided Profits	[illegible]
Dividends Unpaid	[illegible]
Reserved for Interest and Taxes	[illegible]
Deposits	[illegible]
	$[illegible]

OFFICERS.

[illegible]

DIRECTORS.

[illegible]

FOREMAN BROS. BANKING CO.

110 La Salle Street

Statement of the Condition at the Commencement of Business Feb. 1, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$[illegible]
Overdrafts	[illegible]
Stocks and Bonds	[illegible]
Cash on Hand and in Banks	[illegible]
Total	$[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$1,000,000.00
Surplus	[illegible]
Undivided Profits	[illegible]
Deposits	[illegible]
Total	$[illegible]

EDWIN G. FOREMAN, President.
OSCAR G. FOREMAN, Vice President.
GEORGE N. NEISE, Cashier.
JOHN TERBORGH, Ass't Cashier.

Official Statement (Condensed) of the West Side Trust & Savings Bank

Halsted and Twelfth Streets

As made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, State of Illinois, pursuant to law. Commencement of Business Feb. 1, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$[illegible]
Overdrafts	[illegible]
Banking House	[illegible]
Bonds and Stocks (Market Value)	[illegible]
Cash and Checks for Clearing House	[illegible]
Due from Banks	[illegible]
	$[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ [illegible]
Surplus (earned)	[illegible]
Undivided Profits	[illegible]
Reserved for Taxes and Interest	[illegible]
Deposits	[illegible]
	$[illegible]

Deposits November 17, 1908....$[illegible]
Deposits February 1, 1910....[illegible]

OFFICERS.

[illegible]

DIRECTORS.

[illegible]

PEOPLES GAS LIGHT & COKE COMPANY (Of Chicago).

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Peoples Gas Light & Coke Company will be held at the office of the Company in Chicago [illegible]

DECLINES IN MANY STOCKS

New York Failure Is Factor in Unsettling of Sentiment.

ACTIVE WORK BY THE BEARS

Bank Clearings Break Records—Further Ease in Money.

[NEW YORK TIMES FINANCIAL LEADER.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The movement of prices in the early part of today's stock market session suggested the presence of orders in leading stocks intended to support the general list against any purely speculative operations of a bearish nature based upon overnight news of the failure of Fisk & Robinson.

When it became apparent later in the day that this development had caused no such unsettlement of sentiment as might produce the market disturbance, the support accorded in the morning largely was withdrawn, and this fact undoubtedly encouraged the professional move against prices which occurred late in the afternoon and which resulted in declines of a point or more in many stocks.

Owing to the character of the enterprises which Fisk & Robinson had been attempting to finance, their confession of inability to continue to bear the burden was not altogether unexpected in the financial district. For several years there has been a decided disinclination on the part of investors generally to support projects of the kind this house has been promoting, although they possess undoubted merit, and if their financial backers are able to carry them over the construction period they often pay out in the end.

How Public Regards Situation.

Unfortunately, while Wall street understands such a condition of affairs fully, people at large see only the failure of a large house with stock exchange connections, and are therefore quite apt to judge the general situation by a specific incident, however wide of the mark such judgment may be. It is quite impossible, therefore, to estimate with anything like exactness the influence which a failure of this kind may set upon the markets.

Use is made, for example, of such entirely natural and unalarming statements as that made today by the Iron Age that there were cross currents in the iron and steel trades. The chairman of the steel corporation went on record a month or more ago with the prediction that owing to the fashion in which orders had been swollen by long deferred business recessions would follow. It is worth knowing, however, that Mr. Gary added a word to express his belief that while the proportion of increase month by month this year would not be as great as during 1909, a business larger than normal nevertheless would be transacted. It is well worth keeping such statements in mind when reports like that of the Iron Age or those from the railroads showing some decline in earnings or from manufacturing concerns noting cancellation of orders or the laying off of men are under appraisal.

Bank Clearings Break Records.

Incidentally, January's figures of bank clearings the country over broke all previous records, forming a gain of 22 per cent over January clearings in 1909, and 4.4 per cent over the corresponding month in the active year 1906.

On the money market further ease in time rates was indicated, the quotation for five and six months' money periods in fact moving down to 4 per cent. Washington supplied a compilation of the government's receipts and disbursements for January of unusual interest for the reason that it suggests, owing to the strict economies enforced, the closing of the fiscal year in June next with a small surplus. Against the deficit of $64,000,000 in force at this time a year ago the present deficiency is only some $25,000,000.

Money on call easy, [illegible] per cent; ruling rate, 2¾; closing bid, 2¾; offered at 2¾. Time loans soft and dull; sixty days, 3¾@[illegible] per cent; ninety days, [illegible] per cent; six months, 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4¾ to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.83[illegible] for sixty day bills and at 4.86[illegible] for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83[illegible]. Bar silver, 51¾. Mexican dollars, 44. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Feb. 2.	Close Feb. 1.
Allis Chal.	200	12¾	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Amal. Copper	22,800	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Us. Bag	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Un. Pacific	54,800	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Steel	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wabash	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
W. U. Tel.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Westingh. Elec.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
W. & L. E.	100	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼

Total sales, 647,500 shares.

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	[illegible]	United States	[illegible]
American	[illegible]	Wells-Fargo	[illegible]

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 2s, reg.	[illegible]	101¼
U. S. 2s, cpn.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. 3s, reg.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. 3s, cpn.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. 4s, reg.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. 4s, cpn.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Pan. 2s, reg.	100	101
U. S. Pan. 2s, cpn.	100	101

IN PHILADELPHIA.

Lehigh Valley.... 6,804 100¼ 100¼ 99¾ 99¾ 100¾

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS—10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

[illegible]

Total sales, $2,892,000.

New York Curb Transactions.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

IN THE BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—Information from high sources that North Butte will further cut its dividend threw holders of the stock into consternation today and the stock sold down to 25, a net loss of 4¾ for the day. This price is only 5 points above the low prices recorded in the 1907 panic and marks another chapter in the long continued milking process to which the public has been subjected. Other copper shares were freely sold, Lake going down to 70, rallying ¾ toward the close, and scoring a net loss of 8¼ for the day. Superior was off 3, Copper Range 1¾, and Mohawk 1¼. Butte Coalition and Green were the firmest on the list, closing unchanged. Industrials and home railroads were strong. Call money, 4@5 per cent; time loans, short date, 4¼@5 per cent; time loans, six months, 4½@5 per cent; time loans, year, 4¾@5 per cent.

MINING STOCKS.

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adventure	300	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

The First National Bank of Chicago

Statement of Condition at Close of Business January 31, 1910

ASSETS

Loans and Discounts		$70,480,912.21
United States Bonds (par value)		3,232,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities (market value)		6,932,488.81
National Safe Deposit Co. Stock (Bank Building)		1,262,000.00
CASH RESOURCES—		
Due from Banks (Eastern Exchange)	$22,745,163.69	
Checks for Clearing House	3,559,308.95	
Cash on Hand	19,635,505.00	
Due from United States Treasurer	911,100.00	46,851,077.64
		$128,758,478.66

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In		$8,000,000.00
Surplus Fund		8,000,000.00
Other Undivided Profits		441,395.08
Discount Collected but not Earned		511,370.59
Special Deposit of United States Bonds		718,000.00
Circulation—Notes Received from Comptroller	$2,981,997.50	
Less Amount on hand	0.00	2,981,997.50
Dividends Unpaid		1,330.00
Reserved for Taxes		227,333.07
Deposits		107,877,052.42
		$128,758,478.66

OFFICIAL ORGANIZATION
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Division "A"
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M. D. WITKOWSKY........Manager
H. H. HEINS........Asst. Manager
Division "C"
CHARLES N. GILLETT........Cashier
H. A. HOWLAND........Asst. Manager
Division "D"
ARTHUR W. NEWTON........Manager
A. C. C. TIMM........Asst. Manager
Division "E"
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JOHN J. ARNOLD........Manager
CHARLES P. CLIFFORD........Asst. Manager
Auditing Department
H. L. DROEGEMUELLER........Auditor
Discount and Collateral Department
B. J. BLOSSOM........Manager
Credit and Statistical Department
WILLIAM J. LAWLOR........Manager
Clerical and Bookkeeping Departments
WILLIAM H. MONROE........Asst. Cashier

First Trust and Savings Bank

Statement of Condition at Commencement of Business February 1, 1910.

ASSETS

Bonds		$15,832,783.90
Time Loans on Collateral		11,060,500.94
Demand Loans on Collateral	$13,729,298.35	
Cash and due from Banks	10,504,593.77	24,233,892.12
		$51,127,176.96

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In		$2,000,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits		3,122,460.16
Reserve for Interest and Taxes		135,271.73
Time Deposits	$37,133,041.11	
Demand Deposits	8,736,403.96	45,869,445.07
		$51,127,176.96

OFFICERS
JAMES B. FORGAN........President
EMILE K. BOISOT........Vice-President
LOUIS BOISOT........Trust Officer
ROBERT D. FORGAN........Treasurer
DAVID V. WEBSTER........Secretary
BURT C. HARDENBROOK........Mgr. Bond Dept.
FRANK M. GORDON........Asst. Mgr. Bond Dept.
ROY C. OSGOOD........Asst. Trust Officer
ROBERT L. DAVIS........Mgr. Real Estate Dept.
ORVILLE PECKHAM........Attorney

DIRECTORS FIRST NATIONAL BANK and National Safe Deposit Company

Benjamin Allen	H. H. Hitchcock
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D. Mark Cummings	Bernard E. Sunny
Charles Deering	Wm. J. Watson
James B. Forgan	Frank O. Wetmore
James J. Hill	Clarence M. Woolley

Also Directors and Members of the Advisory Committee of the First Trust and Savings Bank.

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(The stock of this bank is owned by the stockholders of The First National Bank of Chicago and every director is a director of that bank.)

Combined Deposits of Both Banks, $153,746,497.49

The Commercial National Bank of CHICAGO

Statement of Condition at the Close of Business Monday, January 31, 1910.

RESOURCES

Time Loans	$40,572,019.93	
Demand Loans	6,679,810.31	$47,251,830.24
Overdrafts		1,826.75
Real Estate		44,494.26
U. S. Bonds at Par		2,765,000.00
Other Bonds		4,866,222.98
Stock Commercial Nat'l Safe Deposit Co. (Bank Building)		1,597,800.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	372,250.00	
Exchanges for Clearing House	1,802,040.81	
Due from Banks	9,269,226.10	
Cash	13,726,902.96	24,461,019.00
Total		$81,978,196.22

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In	$7,000,000.00
Surplus Fund	3,300,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,313,150.53
Circulating Notes	2,515,600.00
Deposits	67,844,945.69
Total	$81,978,196.22

OFFICERS

EDWARD S. LACEY — Chairman of the Board

GEORGE E. ROBERTS	President	FRANK P. JUDSON	Secretary
RALPH VAN VECHTEN	Vice-Pres't	GEORGE B. SMITH	Asst. Cashier
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NATHANIEL R. LOSCH	Cashier	EDWARD M. LACEY	Asst. Cashier

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DARIUS MILLER	MILTON H. WILSON	HERBERT F. PERKINS
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WILLIAM V. KELLEY	DANIEL H. BURNHAM	JOHN C. CRAFT
ROBERT H. McELWEE	RICHARD C. LAKE	GEORGE E. ROBERTS
ALEXANDER F. BANKS	CHARLES H. WEAVER	EDWARD S. LACEY

Harveyized Nickel-Steel Armor-Plate Safe Deposit Vaults in connection.

Report of Condition of

The Northern Trust Company

CHICAGO

At the Opening of Business Feb. 1. 1910

RESOURCES

Time Loans on Security	$6,966,739.08	
Demand Loans on Security	7,468,859.74	
Bonds	8,590,803.90	
Stocks	50,000.00	$23,076,402.72
Bank Premises—Ground		850,000.00
Building		400,000.00
Due from Banks	4,320,698.42	
Checks for Clearings	540,453.69	
Cash on Hand	4,160,481.96	9,021,634.07
Total		$33,348,036.79

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$1,500,000.00
Surplus Fund		1,500,000.00
Undivided Profits		685,361.67
Dividends Unpaid		150.00
Reserved for Taxes and Interest		103,161.40
Cashier's Checks	$382,369.34	
Certified Checks	78,997.17	461,366.51
Demand Deposits	$15,432,260.39	
Time Deposits	13,665,736.82	29,097,997.21
Total		$33,348,036.79

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE CORN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO

At the Close of Business January 31st, 1910

RESOURCES

Time Loans	$31,045,655.69	
Demand Loans	9,839,460.91	$40,885,116.60
Overdrafts		1,401.73
United States Bonds		1,675,000.00
Other Bonds		2,237,095.00
New Bank Building		2,000,000.00
Cash on hand	$11,708,096.37	
Checks for Clearing House	2,744,992.82	
Due from Banks	8,703,970.89	
Due from Treasurer U. S.	116,750.00	23,273,810.08
		$70,072,423.41

LIABILITIES

Capital		$3,000,000.00
Surplus		4,000,000.00
Undivided Profits		1,143,947.52
Circulation		960,600.00
Dividends Unpaid		213.00
Deposits—		
Banks and Bankers	$27,089,388.07	
Individual	33,878,274.82	60,967,662.89
		$70,072,423.41

OFFICERS

ERNEST A. HAMILL, President

CHARLES L. HUTCHINSON, Vice Pres.	JOHN C. NEELY, Secretary
CHAUNCEY J. BLAIR, Vice President	FRANK W. SMITH, Cashier
D. A. MOULTON, Vice President	J. EDWARD MAASS, Ass't Cashier
B. C. SAMMONS, Vice President	JAMES G. WAKEFIELD, Ass't Cashier

DIRECTORS

CHARLES H. WACKER, MARTIN A. RYERSON, CHAUNCEY J. BLAIR, CHARLES H. HULBURD, CLARENCE BUCKINGHAM, EDWARD B. BUTLER, EDWARD A. SHEDD, ISAAC G. LOMBARD, FREDERICK W. CROSBY, BENJAMIN CARPENTER, EDWIN G. FOREMAN, CHARLES L. HUTCHINSON, WATSON F. BLAIR, ERNEST A. HAMILL

Foreign Exchange — Letters of Credit — Cable Transfers

"On the South Side"

Prairie National Bank

157 La Salle St., Chicago.

Report of Condition at the close of business Jan. 31, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$960,924.18
Bonds and premiums	456,030.20
Cash and exchange	516,572.23
Redemption fund	12,600.00
Furniture and safes	3,046.63
Total	$1,950,182.39

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$250,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Profits	23,359.19
Circulation	248,000.00
Deposits	1,417,823.20
Total	$1,950,182.39

OFFICERS.	DIRECTORS.
Geo. Woodland, President.	Oswald J. Arnold,
Harry R. Moore, Vice-President.	Wm. B. Conklin,
Wm. B. Conklin, Cashier.	Joseph Downey,
Le Roy Woodland, Asst. Cashier.	Henry J. Evans,
	Willis S. Herrick,
	Charles B. Scoville,
	Harry R. Moore,
	Fred B. Woodland,
	Geo. Woodland.

"On the West Side"

Prairie State Bank

110 Washington Blvd.

Report of Condition at the opening of business Feb. 1, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$4,824,015.73
Bonds and premiums	1,657,842.08
Cash and exchange	1,127,096.96
Total	$7,608,954.77

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$500,000.00
Profits	56,062.22
Savings interest fund	10,500.00
Deposits	6,842,392.55
Total	$7,608,954.77

OFFICERS.	DIRECTORS.
George Woodland, President.	Henry J. Evans,
H. J. Evans, Vice-President.	Philetus W. Gates,
F. B. Woodland, Cash.	Harry R. Moore,
H. F. Slane, Asst Cash.	Charles B. Scoville,
D. S. Davis, Auditor.	Raymond W. Stevens,
	Fred B. Woodland,
	Geo. Woodland.

STATEMENT OF

The Merchants Loan and Trust Company

At Commencement of Business February 1, 1910.

Resources

Loans and Discounts		$31,612,194.84
Bonds and Mortgages		7,912,968.36
Due from Banks	$12,969,146.73	
Cash and Checks for Clearing House	8,896,523.47	21,865,670.20
		$61,390,833.40

Liabilities

Capital Stock	$3,000,000.00
Surplus Fund	5,000,000.00
Undivided Profits	502,000.49
Reserved for accrued Interest and Taxes	170,972.41
Deposits	52,717,860.50
	$61,390,833.40

Directors

Enos M. Barton	Edmund D. Hulbert	Cyrus H. McCormick	Edward L. Ryerson
Clarence A. Burley	Chauncey Keep	Erskine M. Phelps	Orson Smith
Elbert H. Gary	Thies J. Lefens	John S. Runnells	Lambert Tree

Moses J. Wentworth

Officers

Orson Smith, President	C. E. Estes, Assistant Cashier
Edmund D. Hulbert, Vice President	P. C. Peterson, Assistant Cashier
F. G. Nelson, Vice President	Leon L. [illegible], Secretary and Trust Officer
John E. Blunt, Jr., Vice President	F. W. Thompson, Mgr. Farm Loan Department
J. G. Orchard, Cashier	H. G. P. [illegible], Mgr. Foreign Department

135 Adams Street

Harris Trust & Savings Bank

Organized as N.W. HARRIS & CO. 1882. Incorporated 1907

MARQUETTE BUILDING, CHICAGO

Statement of Condition at Commencement of Business February 1, 1910

RESOURCES

Bonds		$4,761,827.08
Loans on Collateral—		
Demand	$3,080,379.48	
Time	770,328.07	3,850,707.55
Overdrafts		138.85
Cash Due from Banks		2,906,984.67
		$11,519,658.15

LIABILITIES

Capital		$1,250,000.00
Surplus		1,000,000.00
Undivided Profits		213,052.56
Reserved for Interest		1,287.90
Dividends Unpaid		1,875.00
Deposits—		
Demand	$8,295,981.47	
Time	757,461.22	9,053,442.69
		$11,519,658.15

DIRECTORS

ALBERT G. FARR, Chairman; JAMES T. HARAHAN; BERNARD A. ECKHART; ALLEN B. FORBES; JOHN B. LORD; ALBERT W. HARRIS; GEORGE P. HOOVER; NATHAN C. KINGSBURY; HOWARD W. FENTON; NORMAN W. HARRIS; ISAAC SPRAGUE

OFFICERS

NORMAN W. HARRIS, President	HOWARD W. FENTON, Treasurer
ALBERT W. HARRIS, Vice-President	EDWARD P. SMITH, Secretary
NATHAN C. KINGSBURY, Vice-President	FRANK R. ELLIOTT, Cashier
GEORGE P. HOOVER, Vice-President	JOSEPH H. VAILL, Asst. Cashier
ANDREW COOKE, Vice-President	HARRY A. DOW, Asst. Secretary

Report of the Condition of the

Pearsons-Taft Land Credit Company

Established 1865.

Commencement of Business Feb. 1st, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans, first mortgages	$4,005,346.07
Mortgage interest accrued but not due	72,633.44
Due from National Banks	56,261.66
Due from State Banks	27,419.37
Cash on hand	5,455.06
Fixtures	1,000.00
Real Estate	832.68
Total	$4,168,909.28

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$200,000.00
Surplus	20,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses paid	33,665.07
Bond interest accrued	48,512.38
Ledger items	44,768.29
Investment bonds	3,822,028.24
Total	$4,168,969.28

Statement of Entire Investment controlled by Company, January 15th, 1910.

Investment outstanding	$12,698,736.22
Interest 3-6 months overdue	608.00
Interest 6-12 months overdue	715.70
Interest over 12 months overdue	120.00
Interest in foreclosure	665.00

INVESTMENT BANKING EXCLUSIVELY.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE TRIBUNE.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, U. S. Life-Saving Service, Washington, D. C., January 27, 1910. Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 2:00 o'clock p. m., of Friday, February 18, 1910, and then publicly opened, for making repairs, alterations and improvements to the Kenosha Life-Saving Station. Specifications and drawings, forms of proposal, etc., can be obtained upon application to the Keeper of the Kenosha Life-Saving Station, Kenosha, Wis.; the Assistant Inspector, 12th Life-Saving District, Room 580 Federal Building, Chicago, Illinois; the Superintendent of Construction of Life-Saving Stations, [illegible] Washington Street, New York City; or to this office. S. I. KIMBALL, General Superintendent.

H. M. BYLLESBY & CO. ENGINEERS EXAMINATIONS AND REPORTS [illegible] LA SALLE STREET CHICAGO

ADVERTISE IN THE TRIBUNE.

BANKS SHOW SMA[LL ...]

Small Increase [illegible] Loans Slightly [illegible]

KNICKERBOCKER [illegible]

Profits to Equal 13 40 [illegible] Common S[illegible]

Deposits of the national [illegible] at the close of business on [illegible] $411,304,953. This is an in[illegible] or 1.62 per cent, compared [illegible] on Nov. 16. The banks [illegible] statements showing the[illegible] 31 in response to the call of [illegible]

The loan expansion wa[illegible] per cent. The cash resourc[illegible] of but a fraction of 1 per[illegible] indicate if anything that [illegible] loaned up compared with [illegible] Nov. 16. While money i[illegible] the national institutions [illegible] taken large advantage of [illegible] of 5 per cent which pre[illegible] months.

It is probable that the c[illegible] banks are now slightly hi[illegible] a few weeks ago. Followi[illegible] the loans, deposits, and c[illegible] fourteen national banks o[illegible]

	Loans.	[illegible]
Jan. 31, 1910	$278,607,854	[illegible]
Nov. 16, 1909	271,712,786	[illegible]
Increase	$6,895,068	[illegible]
Per cent	2.53	[illegible]

Individual E[illegible]

The individual exhibits [illegible] banks displayed conside[illegible] The National Bank of the [illegible] other gain in deposits. [illegible] on the previous stateme[illegible] tions are about where the[illegible] ber. None of the figures [illegible] nificant except perhaps [illegible] in the Republic. The For[illegible] gain compared both wit[illegible] call and that of Septemb[illegible] low:

LOANS AND DI[SCOUNTS]

	Jan. 31, '10.	[illegible]
Commercial	$47,251,830	[illegible]
Continental	62,804,068	[illegible]
Corn Exchange	40,885,116	[illegible]
Drovers' depos.	4,879,177	[illegible]
First National	70,480,912	[illegible]
1st of Englew.	1,986,424	[illegible]
Fort Dearborn	8,492,733	[illegible]
Hamilton	4,479,458	[illegible]
Live Stock Ex.	7,589,173	[illegible]
Monroe	800,305	[illegible]
N. Bk. of Rep.	17,340,652	[illegible]
National City	9,567,873	[illegible]
Nat. Produce	960,509	[illegible]
Prairie Nat.	909,924	[illegible]
Totals	$278,607,854	[illegible]

DEPOSI[TS]

	Jan. 31, 1910.	[illegible]
Commercial	$67,844,945	[illegible]
Continental	90,664,508	[illegible]
Corn Exchge.	60,967,662	[illegible]
Drovers' Deposit	7,226,576	[illegible]
First Natl.	107,877,052	[illegible]
First of Englewood	2,942,605	[illegible]
Ft. Dearborn	13,212,296	[illegible]
Hamilton	7,685,948	[illegible]
Live Stock Exchange	9,203,815	[illegible]
Monroe	1,332,027	[illegible]
National Bk. of Republic	24,506,505	[illegible]
National City	14,706,256	[illegible]
Natl. Produce	1,664,756	[illegible]
Prairie Natl.	1,417,823	[illegible]
Totals	$411,304,958	[illegible]

CASH RES[OURCES]

	Jan. 31, '10.	[illegible]
Commercial	$24,451,028	[illegible]
Continental	36,397,521	[illegible]
Corn Exch.	23,273,810	[illegible]
Drovers' Deps.	3,022,103	[illegible]
First Natl.	46,851,077	[illegible]
First of Eng.	568,527	[illegible]
Ft. Dearborn	5,403,834	[illegible]
Hamilton	2,904,256	[illegible]
Live St. Exc.	3,049,465	[illegible]
Monroe	512,280	[illegible]
Nt. Bk. Rep.	10,949,714	[illegible]
Natl. City	6,113,912	[illegible]
Nat. Produce	859,028	[illegible]
Prairie Nat.	516,572	[illegible]
Totals	$164,872,5[illegible]	[illegible]

Knickerbocker Ic[e ...]

Business of the Knic[illegible] pany for the year ende[illegible] an unusually favorable [illegible] ings applicable to the [illegible] equal to 13.40 per cent. [illegible] ever, was paid on this [illegible] ings, compared with [illegible] jumped from $408,552 to [illegible] of $381,335, or 93 per c[illegible] the year, after paying [illegible] ferred stock, was $447,[illegible] with $42,014 for 1908.

The annual meeting [illegible] scheduled to be held ye[illegible] lacking a quorum, how[illegible] ing was adjourned until [illegible] for the year were issu[illegible] lowing showing:

STATEMENT O[F ...]

	Dec. 31, 1909.
Net earnings	$789,88[illegible]
Redemption col. tr. notes	26,46[illegible]
Fixed charges	181,18[illegible]
Balance	$582,27[illegible]
Pfd. divs.	134,58[illegible]
Balance	$447,69[illegible]
Common dividends	[illegible]
Surp. for year	$447,9[illegible]

BALANCE SHE[ET]

	Dec. 31, 1909.
Plant	$11,830,71[illegible]
Bonds in treas'y	2,077,00[illegible]
Cash	133,60[illegible]
Sinking fund	460,2[illegible]
Bills receivable	57,6[illegible]
Accts. receivable	386,5[illegible]
Inventories	252,6[illegible]
Ice harvest	187,4[illegible]
Collateral notes	[illegible]
Investments	110,00[illegible]
Totals	$14,284,60[illegible]

LIABI[LITIES]

Preferred stock	$3,000,00[illegible]
Common stock	4,000,00[illegible]
Bonds	4,500,00[illegible]
Bills and notes payable	29,1[illegible]
Accts. payable	124,5[illegible]
Payroll	52,9[illegible]
Accrued interest	74,5[illegible]
Profit and loss	764,2[illegible]
Collateral notes	1,800,0[illegible]
Com. stock div. warrants	78,2[illegible]
Investments	951,4[illegible]
Surplus	764,2[illegible]
Sundry reserves	108,6[illegible]
Totals	$14,984,6[illegible]

Bond St[atement]

A statement of the [illegible] follows:

FIRST MORT[GAGE]

Authorized issue [illegible]
Retired [illegible]
Net outstanding [illegible]

REFUNDING MO[RTGAGE]

Total authorized [illegible]
Deposited as collateral to secure issue of collateral gold notes [illegible]
Deposited in sinking fund [illegible]
Unissued [illegible]

COLLATERAL [illegible]

Authorized issue [illegible]
Outstanding [illegible]
Net total outstanding [illegible]

Fine Ic[e ...]

In his annual repo[rt] John S. Field, preside[nt] concerning the ice cr[illegible]

"It is unusual in t[illegible] ice business whose fis[illegible] be able to incorpora[illegible] year so ending much [illegible] for the coming year. [illegible] nection with the busi[illegible] can now be mention[illegible] superior quality of i[illegible] rants the extraordin[illegible] curred on account of [illegible] snow to be removed."

President Field the[illegible] of the ice, and contin[illegible] ness and financial co[illegible] as follows:

"Additions to the [illegible] last year incorporate[illegible] additional natural ic[illegible] capacity; artificial [illegible] and Elgin; a new an[illegible] and additional ma[illegible] Thirty-fifth street; [illegible] Thirty-first street a[illegible] tracks, and a retail [illegible] Wis., utilizing [illegible] point.

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		4,866,222.00
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	572,250.00	
House	1,882,640.81	
	9,269,225.10	
	12,726,902.98	24,451,028.89
		$81,978,106.22

ABILITIES

	$7,000,000.00
	2,200,000.00
	1,318,160.53
	3,515,000.00
	67,944,945.69
	$81,978,106.22

FFICERS

Chairman of the Board. FRANK P. JUDSON, Secretary; GEORGE B. SMITH, Asst. Cashier; HARVEY C. VERNON, Asst. Cashier; H. ERSKINE SMITH, Asst. Cashier; CHARLES C. WILLSON, Asst. Cashier; RALPH C. WILSON, Asst. Cashier; EDWARD M. LACEY, Asst. Cashier.

RECTORS

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BILITIES

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		5,000,000.00
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		$61,390,833.40

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ADVERTISE IN THE TRIBUNE.

BANKS SHOW SMALL CHANGE

Small Increase in Deposits; Loans Slightly Larger.

KNICKERBOCKER ICE REPORT

Profits to Equal 13.40 Per Cent on the Common Stock.

Deposits of the national banks of Chicago at the close of business on Jan. 31, 1910, were $411,304,953. This is an increase of $6,558,218, or 1.62 per cent, compared with their deposits on Nov. 16. The banks yesterday issued statements showing their condition on Jan. 31 in response to the call of the controller.

The loan expansion was $6,895,068, or 2.53 per cent. The cash resources showed a change of but a fraction of 1 per cent. The figures indicate if anything that the banks are well loaned up compared with their condition on Nov. 16. While money is easier in Chicago, the national institutions have apparently taken large advantage of the minimum rate of 5 per cent which prevailed for several months.

It is probable that the cash resources of the banks are now slightly higher than they were a few weeks ago. Following is a summary of the loans, deposits, and cash resources of the fourteen national banks of the city:

	Loans.	Deposits.	Cash resources.
Jan. 31, 1910..	$278,607,854	$411,304,953	$164,673,647
Nov. 16, 1909..	271,712,786	404,746,735	164,651,941
Increase...	$6,895,068	$6,558,218	$21,706
Per cent.......	2.53	1.62	1.01

Individual Exhibits.

The individual exhibits of the several banks displayed considerable irregularity. The National Bank of the Republic made another gain in deposits. It made a gain also on the previous statement. Other institutions are about where they were last September. None of the figures seems specially significant except perhaps the steady growth in the Republic. The Fort Dearborn made a gain compared both with the last previous call and that of September. The figures follow:

LOANS AND DISCOUNTS.

	Jan. 31, '10.	Nov. 16, '09.	Sept. 1, '09.
Commercial	$47,251,830	$45,742,744	$46,144,122
Continental	62,804,068	60,842,090	58,255,344
Corn Exchange	40,885,116	41,141,772	41,047,882
Drovers' depos.	4,879,177	4,324,658	4,223,857
First National	70,480,912	69,354,936	75,634,456
1st of Englew.	1,986,424	1,829,730	1,684,835
Fort Dearborn	8,492,733	8,144,078	8,412,918
Hamilton	4,479,458	4,570,852	4,701,978
Live Stock Ex.	7,589,173	7,448,979	6,739,649
Monroe	890,305	790,084	783,373
N. Bk. of Rep.	17,840,652	16,687,968	15,648,633
National City	9,567,873	8,924,590	9,447,253
Nat. Produce	960,309	933,107	979,766
Prairie Nat.	999,824	962,963	1,049,510
Totals	$278,607,854	$271,712,786	$264,753,776

DEPOSITS.

	Jan. 31, 1910.	Nov. 16, 1909.	Sept. 1, 1909.
Commercial	$67,944,945	$69,445,460	$67,271,773
Continental	90,664,598	91,606,423	87,085,908
Corn Exchge.	60,967,662	59,230,654	52,586,364
Drovers' Deposit	7,226,576	6,219,181	6,551,226
First Natl.	107,877,052	105,140,324	117,736,488
First of Englewood	2,942,605	2,867,814	2,661,964
Ft. Dearborn	13,212,298	11,955,238	12,805,614
Hamilton	7,635,948	7,987,504	7,461,261
Live Stock Exchange	9,203,815	9,869,511	9,015,313
Monroe	1,332,027	1,203,051	1,113,408
National Bk. of Republic	24,506,505	22,613,772	21,096,675
National City	14,708,386	13,590,630	14,309,364
Natl. Produce	1,664,725	1,555,411	1,651,280
Prairie Natl.	1,417,823	1,431,761	1,494,362
Totals	$411,304,953	$404,746,735	$422,803,105

CASH RESOURCES.

	Jan. 31, '10.	Nov. 16, '09.	Sept. 1, '09.
Commercial	$24,451,028	$27,231,267	$26,771,074
Continental	36,397,521	39,786,837	35,115,321
Corn Exch.	23,273,810	20,805,215	13,664,262
Drovers' Deps.	3,022,132	2,567,228	2,946,688
First Natl.	46,851,07	44,391,126	46,942,543
First of Eng.	568,527	646,820	592,479
Ft. Dearborn	5,403,354	4,643,521	5,514,187
Hamilton	2,904,256	3,556,123	2,632,504
Live St. Exc.	3,649,485	3,879,090	3,669,531
Monroe	312,380	304,148	413,565
Nt. Bk. Rep.	10,949,714	9,982,218	9,254,858
Natl. City	6,113,912	5,550,860	6,109,072
Nat. Produce	639,038	609,807	552,457
Prairie Nat.	516,872	623,681	613,583
Totals	$164,673,647	$164,651,941	$158,882,706

Knickerbocker Ice's Big Profits.

Business of the Knickerbocker Ice company for the year ended Dec. 31, 1909, made an unusually favorable exhibit. The earnings applicable to the common stock were equal to 13.40 per cent. No dividend, however, was paid on this issue. The net earnings, compared with the previous year, jumped from $408,552 to $789,887, an increase of $381,335, or 93 per cent. The surplus for the year, after paying 4½ per cent on the preferred stock, was $447,699. This compares with $42,914 for 1908.

The annual meeting of the company was scheduled to be held yesterday. There was lacking a quorum, however, and the meeting was adjourned until Feb. 16. The figures for the year were issued and made the following showing:

STATEMENT OF PROFITS.

	Dec. 31, 1909.	Dec. 31, 1908.	Dec. 31, 1907.
Net earnings	$789,887	$407,552	$489,251
Redemption col. tr. notes	26,468	......	......
Fixed charges	181,140	184,749	147,062
Balance	$582,279	$222,803	$332,189
Pfd. divs.	134,580	180,000	179,760
Balance	$447,699	$42,914	$152,424
Common dividends	......	......	......
Surp. for year	$447,699	$42,914	$72,435

BALANCE SHEET—ASSETS.

	Dec. 31, 1909.	Dec. 31, 1908.	Dec. 31, 1907.
Plant	$11,339,714	$11,157,147	$11,079,487
Bonds in treas'y.	2,077,000	2,212,000	2,262,000
Cash	133,609	218,569	118,780
Sinking fund	460,276	384,610	319,283
Bills receivable	57,682	39,345	11,156
Accts. receivable	386,585	352,889	419,095
Inventories	232,626	257,988	262,253
Ice harvest	137,454	144,118	11,545
Collateral notes	......	211,500	211,500
Investments	110,069	80,982	81,110
Totals	$14,984,609	$15,029,118	$14,962,201

LIABILITIES.

	Dec. 31, 1909.	Dec. 31, 1908.	Dec. 31, 1907.
Preferred stock	$3,000,000	$3,000,000	$3,000,000
Common stock	4,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000
Bonds	4,500,000	4,500,000	4,500,000
Bills and notes payable	29,106	249,907	221,981
Accts. payable	124,596	109,015	122,800
Payroll	52,925	47,743	54,510
Accrued interest	74,874	63,637	62,638
Profit and loss	764,387	316,689	273,775
Collateral notes	1,300,000	1,461,000	1,462,000
Com. stock div. warrants	78,244	......	......
Investments	951,805	951,805	951,805
Surplus	764,387	......	......
Sundry reserves	108,668	359,322	201,800
Totals	$14,984,609	$15,029,118	$14,962,201

Bond Statement.

A statement of the bonds of the company follows:

FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS.

Authorized issue	$2,500,000	
Retired	516,000	
Net outstanding		$1,984,000

REFUNDING MORTGAGE BONDS.

Total authorized	$6,000,000	
Deposited as collateral to secure issue of collateral gold notes	$2,077,000	
Deposited in sinking fund	439,000	
Unissued	$3,484,000	
	$6,000,000	

COLLATERAL GOLD NOTES.

Authorized issue	$1,300,000	
Outstanding		$1,300,000
Net total outstanding Dec. 31, 1909		$3,284,000

Fine Ice Harvest.

In his annual report to the shareholders John S. Field, president of the company, says concerning the ice crop:

"It is unusual in the annual report of an ice business whose fiscal year ends Dec. 31, to be able to incorporate in the report of the year so ending much more than predictions for the coming year. But one fact in connection with the business of the coming year can now be mentioned, which is that the superior quality of ice being harvested warrants the extraordinary expenditures incurred on account of the unusual amount of snow to be removed."

President Field then speaks of the purity of the ice, and continues concerning the business and financial condition of the company as follows:

"Additions to the plant account for the last year incorporate the expense of erecting additional natural ice storage of 60,000 tons capacity; artificial ice factories at Aurora and Elgin; a new and improved boiler plant and additional machinery equipment at Thirty-fifth street; a wall plaster factory at Thirty-first street and Lake Shore railway tracks; and a retail ice business at Madison, Wis., utilizing unused ice storage at that point.

"The foregoing seems to be a pro rata repetition of what has been done each year for the last ten years, in order to keep up with the ever increasing growth of Chicago and its suburbs.

"The physical condition of the properties of the company has been kept to its usual high standard; and cash to the amount of $228,809.89 was expended for maintenance, renewals, and repairs.

"Nine first mortgage bonds were canceled by the sales of real estate during the year. The necessary retiring of $181,000 in collateral notes and the expense attached to the renewal of the remainder, used cash resources of the last year which could have been applied to other purposes.

Bonds May Be Sold Soon.

"It is expected, if market conditions warrant, that so much of the authorized issue of the refunding mortgage bonds of the company may be soon sold, to provide funds for the redemption of its collateral notes, additional working capital, and expenditures necessary for the future extensions of the business, so that the company's earnings can be consistently distributed to its stockholders.

"The 2,200 acres of sand land at Dune park, carrying 700 additional acres of riparian rights on Lake Michigan, the same being located south and east of Gary, Ind., are rapidly increasing in value, and are carried on the books of the company at about one-third of the price at which land in the vicinity has been transferred.

Pittsburg Plate Glass.

Pittsburg Plate Glass company reports for year ended Dec. 31, 1909, net earnings of $1,918,525, compared with $1,313,275 in 1908 and a surplus after dividends of $86,519, against a deficit last year of $580,036. The earnings for fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1909, compared with the previous year follow:

	1909.	1908.
Gross	$19,769,947	$16,925,790
Expenses	17,850,322	15,612,524
Net earnings	1,918,525	1,313,275
Depreciation	394,506	610,811
Balance for dividend	1,719,019	702,464
Preferred dividend	18,000	18,000
Balance for common	1,301,019	684,464
Common dividend	1,214,500	1,214,500
Surplus	86,519	530,036
Previous Surplus	4,933,489	5,463,526
Total surplus	5,019,529	4,933,489

Railway Steel Spring.

It is reported that all except one of the ten plants of the Railway Steel Spring company are operating at full capacity, with a large number of orders on the books. It appears the company has not felt the effects of the last two months' slackness in the general equipment business.

The question of dividends on the common stock will not come up before the annual meeting in March, and although the company is earning more than the 7 per cent required for the preferred it is said to be not likely that a common dividend will be declared for at least six months.

Collapse in Street's Pool.

The pool in Street's Western Stable Car common is in a bad way, as a pool. In fact, it has collapsed. Yesterday apparently saw the finish of whatever profits there may have been in the affair at one time. Not only the profits have vanished but there must have been considerable losses experienced by such members as failed to get out. The stock dropped from 35½ to 30 at the close. At the latter price the shares are but little higher than they were when the stock paid 2 per cent. It now pays 4. President Grossman of the company declares that so far as the company's finances are concerned they are as favorable as they ever were.

The pool in the shares worked up the price from around 30 to 35 to 55. There has been therefore a decline of 25 points, and this decline has been experienced in the last five weeks. It was common gossip on the exchange that the pool had gone completely to pieces, something that could be readily surmised from the low price of the stock.

Even the preferred stock, in which there was no pool, has suffered sympathetically, and a small lot sold at 90. At the close it was offered at that figure with no better bid than 75.

Milwaukee Railway and Light.

The Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company, including the Milwaukee Light, Heat and Traction company, the Milwaukee Central Heating company, the Racine Gas Light company, Kenosha Gas and Electric company and the Watertown Gas and Electric company, has reported earnings for the year ended Dec. 31, 1909, as follows:

	1909.	1908.	Increase.
Gross revenue	$5,709,946	$5,462,582	$247,364
Operating expenses, taxes and reserve	3,680,420	2,354,877	1,325,543
Net revenue	$2,029,526	$3,107,705	*$1,078,179
Int. charges	1,257,974	1,524,288	*266,314
Balance	$771,552	$1,583,417	*$811,865
Preferred dividends	270,000	270,000	......
Balance	$501,552	$1,313,417	*$811,865
Common dividends	315,000	890,000	*575,000
Surplus	$186,552	$423,417	*$236,865

*Decrease.

General Financial News.

According to several Washington, D. C., bankers cotton mill men in the south are not looking to New York for accommodation to the extent they did several years ago.

McCoy & Co. of Chicago are offering $575,000 Indian Refining company 5 per cent notes at a price to yield 5.25 per cent.

The Trowbridge & Niver company was the successful bidder for $35,600 city of Racine 4½ per cent refunding bonds, which will be offered at a price to yield 4 per cent.

Railroad Earnings.

DELAWARE-LACKAWANNA.

December—		Increase.
Mileage	951.81	28.13
Freight revenue	$2,264,809	$190,066
Passenger revenue	546,778	14,117
Other transp. revenue	170,836	6,703
Nontransportation revenue	15,682	2,797
Total operating revenue	$2,998,097	$214,603
Maint. of way and structure	140,482	*24,601
Maint. of equipment	432,306	64,221
Traffic expenses	56,827	14,759
Transportation expenses	751,097	28,612
General expenses	61,177	7,944
Total operating expenses	$1,541,801	$80,833
Net operating revenue	1,456,295	133,771
Outside operating (net)	30,156	6,754
Total net revenue	$1,486,452	$140,525
Taxes	151,600	151,600
Operating income	$1,334,852	*$11,074
July 1 to Dec. 31—		
Freight revenue	$13,615,245	$1,020,494
Passenger revenue	3,776,274	195,976
Other transp. revenue	1,022,558	31,061
Nontransportation revenue	72,800	9,643
Total operating revenue	$18,497,873	$1,261,575
Maint. of way and structure	1,716,348	*108,628
Maint. of equipment	3,302,682	211,667
Traffic expenses	321,460	34,788
Transportation expenses	4,798,783	127,322
General expenses	338,070	2,631
Total operating revenue	$9,068,222	$207,796
Net operating revenue	8,926,540	988,779
Outside operating (net)	196,987	60,649
Total net revenue	$9,121,537	$1,054,428
Taxes	804,100	300,100
Operating income	$8,317,437	$754,328

HOCKING VALLEY.

December—		
Operating revenue	550,388	108,116
Total net	162,604	82,685
Net corporation income	369,896	50,133
From July 1—		
Operating revenue	3,904,224	446,058
Total net	1,620,578	357,141
Net corporation income	1,408,343	281,979

CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO.

December—		
Operating expenses	2,505,649	249,865
Net operating revenue	908,738	130,964
Surplus	525,808	176,333
From July 1—		
Operating revenue	15,654,714	2,261,793
Net operating revenue	6,425,816	1,119,074
Surplus	3,323,275	1,131,606

NORFOLK AND WESTERN.

December—		
Gross	2,786,558	409,579
Net	1,081,281	184,300
Surplus	611,154	145,266
From July 1—		
Gross	17,329,916	2,629,340
Net	7,198,386	1,290,968
Surplus	4,402,070	1,109,079

*Decrease.

Money and Exchange.

Money in Chicago steady at 4½@5½ per cent on commercial paper and local collateral loans, 4½ per cent on call and 5@5½ per cent over the counter.

Foreign exchange was steady in Chicago at the following quotations:

	Demand.	Sixty days.
Sterling—		
Actual	486⅝	483⅝
Commercial	486	483½
Paris francs—		
Actual	516¼	520
Commercial	517½	520⅝
German marks—		
Actual	95¼	94 7-16
Commercial	95	94 5-16

New York exchange sold in Chicago at 20c discount.

Clearings in Chicago were $50,026,840.

Short Term Note Quotations.

Company.	Rate.	Maturity.	Bid.	Asked.
Atlantic C. L. R. R.	5	Mar. 1, 1910	100	100⅛
Louisville & N. R. R.	5	Mar. 1, 1910	100	100⅛
C. C. C. & St. L. R. R.	5	June 1, 1911	101¼	101⅝
Kas. Cy. Ry. & Light	6	Sept. 1, 1912	96½	97½
Lackawanna Steel	5	Mar. 1, 1910	100	100 3-16
Minneapolis & St. L.	5	Feb. 1, 1911	99¼	99⅝
N. Y., N. H. & H.	5	Jan. 9, 1912	101⅛	101⅜
Norfolk & West. Ry.	5	May 1, 1910	100	100⅛
North American	5	May 1, 1912	98½	100
Pennsylvania R. R.	5	Mar. 15, 1910	100	100⅛
St. L. & S. F. R. R.	4½	Feb. 1, 1912	96½	96⅞
Tidewater	6	June 1, 1913	101⅛	101⅜
Westinghouse E. & M.	6	Aug. 1, 1910	100⅛	100⅝

Other Issues Irregular.

In other issues there was a fair degree of steadiness, Illinois Brick stock, in which also there is a pool, was weak, but the trading was small. Diamond Match, in which there is much distrust of persons in the management, was also weak, closing at 104. Chicago Title and Trust, on the other hand, was firm, advancing to 149½. The buying in this stock has for some time been of the best.

Sears-Roebuck common was irregular. The closing price was 1 point below the opening. In the bond department prices were steady with little doing.

The following were the sales on the Chicago stock exchange yesterday:

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	110	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝
Do pfd.	100	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾
Am. Shipbldg.	25	76	76	76	76
Booth Fisheries	50	35	35	35	35
Do pfd.	25	67½	67½	67½	67½
Chi. Pneu. Tool	65	40	40	40	40
Chi. Rys. series 3	5	25	25	25	25
Chicago Subway	25	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Chicago Tel.	5	128	128	128	128
Chicago T. & Trst.	485	148½	149½	147	149½
Com'wealth Ed.	12	116	116	116	116
Diamond Match	225	107½	107½	104	104
Illinois Brick	105	88	88	80½	80½
People's Gas	160	109¼	109¼	109¼	109¼
Quaker Oats	160	168	168	168	168
Sears-Roebuck	230	155	155¼	154	154
Do pfd.	244	121	121	120¾	121
So. Side El.	100	52	52	52	52
Street's St. Car	1,170	35½	35½	30	30
Do pfd.	5	90	90	90	90
Swift & Co.	217	105¼	105¼	105	105
United Boxboard	360	12	12	11	11¼

BONDS.

10,000	Chicago City Railway 5s	103
4,000	Chicago Pneumatic Tool 5s	84½
2,000	Commonwealth Edison 5s	102⅝
3,000	Consumers' Gas 5s	102⅝
5,000	Metropolitan El. gold 4s	82½
500	Pearsons-Taft 4.60s	97

STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF
The National City Bank
OF CHICAGO
At Close of Business January 31, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$9,567,873.85
United States Bonds to secure circulation	800,000.00
Other Bonds	1,058,278.12
Cash and Due from Banks	6,113,912.24
	$17,540,064.21

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$1,500,000.00
Surplus	300,000.00
Undivided Profits	217,476.41
Dividends Unpaid	901.50
Reserve for Taxes	18,000.00
Circulation Outstanding	795,300.00
Deposits	14,708,386.30
	$17,540,064.21

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$9,000, 5 years, 6%, on new brick business block on west side, worth $25,000.

$5,000, 3 years, 5½%, on brick stores and flats on north side, worth $15,000.

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PROPOSALS.—ANNUAL ESTIMATE FOR THE period ending June 30, 1911.—Paints, Oils, Varnish, Red Lead, White Lead, White Zinc, Litharge, Paint and Varnish Remover, Turpentine, Alcohol, Gasoline, Putty, Coal Tar, Sulphate of Copper, Prussiate of Potash, Sal Soda, Caustic Soda, Sea-coal Facing, Plumbago Blacking, Graphite, Ammonia Alum, Aluminum Sulphate, Borax, Resin, Vaseline, Chalk, Lye, Choride of Lime, Flour, Soap, Tallow, Candles, Beeswax, Metal Polish, Calcium Carbide, Rock Salt, Cotton and Wool Waste, Oakum, etc. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the General Purchasing Officer, Isthmian Canal Commission, Washington, D. C., until 10.30 a. m., March 3, 1910, at which time they will be opened in public, for furnishing the above mentioned articles. Blanks and general information relating to this Circular (No. 559) may be obtained from this office or the offices of the Assistant Purchasing Agents, 24 State Street, New York City; 38 National Realty Building, New Orleans, La.; and 2086 North Point Street, San Francisco, Cal.; also from the U. S. Engineer Offices in the following cities: Seattle, Wash.; Los Angeles, Cal.; Baltimore, Md.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Pittsburg, Pa.; Boston, Mass.; Buffalo, N. Y.; Cleveland, Ohio; Cincinnati, Ohio; Chicago, Ill.; St. Louis, Mo.; Detroit, Mich.; Milwaukee, Wis.; St. Paul, Minn.; Chattanooga, Tenn.; Louisville, Ky.; Mobile, Ala., and Galveston, Tex.; Commercial Club, Kansas City, Mo.; Chamber of Commerce, Quincy, Ill., and Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade, Tacoma, Wash. —F. C. Boggs, Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., General Purchasing Officer.

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., February 1, 1910.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 10 A. M. March 1, 1910, and then publicly opened, for furnishing at various posts of the U. S. Army 52,550 feet of 2½ inch Fire Hose, 350 feet of 1½ inch Fire Hose and 300 feet of ¾ inch Fire Hose. Further information and blank forms furnished on application. H. L. PETTUS, Captain and Quartermaster, in charge of depot.

THE
CONTINENTAL NATIONAL BANK
OF CHICAGO

Statement of Condition at Close of Business Monday, January 31, 1910.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$62,804,068.33	
Bonds, Securities, etc.	5,286,191.58	
		$68,090,259.91
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation		4,625,000.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds		123,468.75
Overdrafts		11,780.57
Due from Banks and U. S. Treasurer	$12,962,066.23	
Cash	23,435,455.13	36,397,521.36
		$109,248,030.59

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$9,000,000.00
Surplus Fund	4,500,000.00
Undivided Profits	473,132.43
Circulation	4,610,300.00
Deposits	90,664,598.16
	$109,248,030.59

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Statement of Condition at Commencement of Business February 1, 1910.

RESOURCES

Demand Loans (secured by collateral)	$3,488,758.35	
Due from Banks	966,828.09	
Cash on Hand	1,762,865.89	$6,218,452.33
Time Loans (secured by collateral)	3,118,326.11	
Bonds and Stocks	6,004,559.78	9,122,885.89
		$15,341,338.22

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$3,000,000.00	
Reserved for Taxes and Interest	85,066.19	
Undivided Profits	187,112.78	$3,272,178.97
Demand Deposits	5,347,103.08	
Time Deposits	6,722,056.17	12,069,159.25
		$15,341,338.22

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UNITED STATES DEPOSITARY

Report of condition at close of business January 31, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$4,479,458.07
Overdrafts		7,157.81
United States bonds		300,000.00
Other bonds		766,245.49
Premium on U. S. bonds		6,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer		21,050.00
Cash and due from banks		2,883,206.72
		$8,463,118.09

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		500,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits		145,104.83
Reserved for taxes, etc.		6,917.00
Dividends unpaid		152.50
Circulation		174,995.00
Government Deposits	$150,000.00	
Individual deposits	3,552,103.58	
Bank deposits	3,983,845.18	
		7,685,948.76
		$8,463,118.09

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REPORT OF CONDITION
—OF THE—
CHICAGO SAVINGS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY
At the commencement of business February 1, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Time loans on collateral		$948,817.86
Demand loans on collateral		634,725.39
Loans and discounts		657,783.61
Loans on real estate		409,074.04
Bonds and securities		1,204,914.75
Furniture and fixtures		15,000.00
Overdrafts		1,887.21
Cash and due from banks		1,198,787.65
		$5,125,990.51

LIABILITIES.

Capital		$500,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits [net]		107,534.60
Dividends unpaid		60.00
Deposits—		
Time	$1,399,561.38	
Demand	3,118,834.47	4,518,395.85
		$5,125,990.51

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A BANK OF STRENGTH & CHARACTER

The Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois called for a statement of condition as at the commencement of business of February 1st. The figures we submitted thereto contain the following important items:

Capital Stock $1,200,000.00
This is the working capital of the bank and is commensurate with the total of deposits so that maximum safety to both stockholders and depositors is assured.

Surplus and Profits 1,062,969.46
No more convincing proof of the soundness and strength of this bank could be found than the fact that this Million Dollar surplus is real—all earned. The Capital, Surplus and Profits taken together make resources of over $2,200,000 in excess of all liabilities to depositors.

Cash Resources $4,656,019.54
This is money on hand which is available for immediate use to provide against a possible emergency. It has always been the policy of this bank to carry a cash reserve considerably in excess of all requirements of the State of Illinois or of the Chicago Clearing House Association.

Bonds and Stocks $3,268,535.27
This represents securities which have been bought outright, which are carried on the books at a very low valuation and that would yield a very substantial profit if sold at market prices. This list of securities comprises only the very best and most conservative issues, principally bonds of Governments and Railroads.

Loans and Discounts $8,910,647.38
This comprises loans on collateral and clean paper of reputable Merchandisers, Manufacturers, Corporations and Business Men, all of which loans are made with great care and judgment.

Deposits $14,573,876.29
This represents money left with us by thousands of corporations, banks, estates, business men and women in our Commercial, Savings and Trust Departments. These have accumulated through forty years of conservative, safe, sane banking. Deposits in this bank have increased $1,634,403.40 over the corresponding period of last year and about $9,700,000 over the corresponding period 10 years ago.

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STATE BANK OF CHICAGO
S. E. Cor. La Salle and Washington Streets

Condensed Report February 1, 1910.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$16,307,744.59
Overdrafts	3,999.85
Bonds	1,890,766.89
Cash and Due from Banks	5,503,925.38
	$23,706,436.71

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$1,500,000.00
Surplus (Earned)	1,500,000.00
Undivided Profits	109,464.55
Reserved for Interest and Taxes	48,000.00
Dividends Unpaid	207.00
Deposits	20,548,765.16
	$23,706,436.71

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF THE—
METROPOLITAN TRUST & SAVINGS BANK
OF CHICAGO, ILL.
S. W. Cor. La Salle & Washington Sts.

Before the Commencing of Business Feb. 1, 1910.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$3,394,108.34
Stocks and Bonds	585,238.60
Real Estate	59,487.16
Furniture and Fixtures	3,356.29
Cash and Due from Banks	1,199,769.35
Total	$5,242,591.60

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$750,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	255,810.83
Deposits	4,236,780.77
Total	$5,242,591.60

Deposits have increased $127,000.00 since last statement.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF
—THE—
MONROE NATIONAL BANK
of Chicago
United States Depositary
MADISON and LA SALLE STREETS
at the close of business January 31, 1910.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$890,304.97
Overdrafts	124.00
U.S. bonds to secure circulation	[illegible]
Premium on U. S. bonds	[illegible]
Bonds to secure U. S. deposits	[illegible]
Other bonds and securities	[illegible]
Cash and due from banks	[illegible]
	[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$300,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	[illegible]
Reserved for interest & taxes	[illegible]
Circulation	[illegible]
U. S. bond account	[illegible]
Dividends unpaid	[illegible]
Deposits	[illegible]
	[illegible]

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FLOUR TRADE LESS ACTIVE

Falling Off in Demand Checks Advance in Wheat Market.

ARGENTINE REPORTS LARGE.

Corn Strong Early, but Selling Increases Near End; Product Firm.

The outside public refuses to enthuse on the buying side of wheat and the bulge of Tuesday failed to hold in the absence of new buying support. Bulls were disappointed in the cables from Liverpool, and also in the domestic developments. The principal buyers of Tuesday were the best sellers yesterday and the market developed an extremely weak tone towards the last. Some new buying incentive appears to be needed to get the market out of the rut, and bearish sentiment was again in the ascendant on the curb last night. Commission houses had wheat to sell at the opening, causing a moderate setback. Until the last hour prices held fairly steady at the initial decline, but late in the day there was renewed selling by tired holders, as well as pounding by local professionals on the weakness in the northwestern markets. Closing prices were ⅜@1c lower.

Local Selling Is Heavy.

Pringle, Peavey, Barrell, Bartlett-Patten, E. W. Bailey, Colvin, and Armour were sellers on the downturn, and C. W. Partridge was credited with selling wheat through brokers. Waterman, the principal cash wheat holder, was again credited with buying a little wheat on the decline just before the close. Wightman-Neafus, Armour, Ware-Leland, and Jackson Bros. were early buyers. The tone of the Minneapolis market was weak and that market has declined 1½c relative to the Chicago May in a week, as the result of the liberal receipts recently. All advices from the spring wheat country indicated there would be no material letting up in receipts for the next two months, while the flour trade was said to be anything but satisfactory. Cash premiums at Minneapolis were a shade lower with a slow demand for most of the wheat. Stocks at that point increased 375,000 bu for four days, compared to a decrease of 25,000 bu a year ago.

Cash Premiums Are Steady.

The tone of the cash markets was not particularly weak in the winter wheat markets, but there was not much demand, and as receipts continue at a liberal rate the bulls were not inclined to be aggressive, fearing that there would be a further break in sample prices. Shipments at Kansas City and St. Louis were larger than the receipts, and local stocks are steadily decreasing. The fact that the cash situation in the local market is working into such a strong position is one of the main bull factors, and there was considerable buying of Chicago May and selling of the same delivery in the northwest. Local cash men said the shipping demand had dropped off to extremely small proportions. Receipts here were 14 cars, with 21 cars expected today. Cash sales here were 35,000 bu at steady prices. Omaha reported 3c over Chicago May bid for No. 2 hard to arrive.

Indications are for much larger shipments of Argentine wheat this week and cargoes were offered at declines of 3@6d. This had a bearish effect on the Liverpool market, which was ½@¾d lower for futures. Other foreign markets were not much changed. Primary receipts were 738,000 bu, against 334,000 bu a year ago. Clearances of wheat and flour for the day were 300,000 bu. There were numerous crop damage reports from Kansas and parts of this state and Missouri, but the trade is not much alarmed at this stage of development of the crop.

Corn Has Late Decline.

Corn showed decided strength early, but eased off with wheat late in the session after local shorts had covered freely. Resting prices were ⅛@¼c lower. May sold up to 67½c early. Merritt and other cash houses sold on the advance, and there was late selling by John West, Ware-Leland, Barrell, Bartlett-Patten, Champlin, and Pringle. Early in the day Brosseau, Champlin, and Updike, with commission houses, bought the corn. Clement-Curtis sold quite freely at 67c. The cash market was firm and a little higher, with sales of 60,000 bu. Country offerings were moderate. Cables were unchanged. Receipts here were 489 cars, with 437 cars inspected yesterday. Primary arrivals were enormous, compared to a year ago—1,245,000 bu, against 297,000 bu. Weather conditions were more unfavorable, and this had some market effect early in the day. Outside advices in regard to cash corn were bearish.

Dull Trade in Oats.

Final prices for oats were unchanged to ⅛@¼c lower. The market early was firm with a little scattered commission house buying led by Ware-Leland and Updike. Late Ware-Leland was a seller and there was selling by Peavey and cash houses. Bartlett-Patten bought a few oats supposed to be against cash sales. Country offerings are expected to increase a little. Receipts here were 151 cars, with 214 cars inspected yesterday. Cash sales were 150,000 bu and sample prices were about steady. Primary points had 691,000 bu, against 292,000 bu a year ago.

Firm Close for Product.

Provisions closed fairly firm in view of the late weakness in grains. Hog prices were higher at one time, but closed steady. Receipts were 27,000, with 26,000 estimated. Western points had 60,800, against 144,200 a year ago. Cudahy interests were credited with buying considerable product, while some of the other packers were believed to have sold moderately through brokers. The cash trade was not brisk. Realizing by recent buyers was heavy at times, and this enabled buyers to secure product easier than has been the case the last few days. Monthly provisions stocks figures were about as bullish as expected.

Light Supplies of Rye.

Rye was in light supply and firm. May closed nominally at 80c. No. 2 was quoted 80@81c; No. 3, 75@80c; and No. 4, 65@75c. Receipts were estimated at 5 cars.

Barley was unchanged. Malting was quoted 68@70c; mixing, 60@65c; and screenings, 40@65c. Receipts were estimated at 79 cars.

Flaxseed was unchanged. No. 1 northwestern closed at $2.14 and No. 1 southwestern, $2.04. Receipts, 1 car.

Timothyseed was easy. March was offered at $4.25. Cloverseed was 10c higher. March closed at $14.25, nominal.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Feb. 2.	Closing Feb. 1.
May	1.11-¼	1.11¼	1.10⅝	1.10⅝-½	1.11⅛-¼
July	1.01¼-⅛	1.01¼-⅛	1.00⅝	1.00⅝-¾	1.01⅛
Sept.	97¾	97¾	96⅞	96⅞	97⅜

CORN.

May	66⅞-7	67¼	66⅝@⅞	66⅞-⅞	66⅞-⅞
July	66⅞-⅞	67	66¼	66⅝	66⅝
Sept.	66⅝	66⅞	66⅜	66⅝	66⅝

OATS.

May	46⅛-¼	47-¼	46½	46⅛-⅝	46⅝
July	43⅞	43⅞	43⅛	43⅛-⅜	43⅞
Sept.	41	41	40⅞	40⅞	40⅞

MESS PORK.

May	21.80	22.00	21.65	21.90	21.75
July	21.75	21.90	21.62½	21.80	21.77½

LARD.

May	12.10	12.10	11.97½	12.10	12.05
July	12.05	12.10	11.95	12.10	12.02½

SHORT RIBS.

May	11.80	11.90	11.70	11.77½	11.75
July	11.72½	11.80	11.67½	11.77½	11.70

Prices at Outside Markets.

WHEAT.

	May High.	May Low.	May Close.	July High.	July Low.	July Close.
New York	1.18⅝	1.17⅝	1.18	1.09⅞	1.08⅞	1.09⅞
St. Louis	1.11⅛	1.10⅝	1.10⅞	1.00⅞	99⅝	99⅞
Winnipeg	1.07⅝	1.06⅝	1.06⅝	1.07⅞	1.07⅛	1.07⅛
Duluth	1.12⅛	1.10⅝	1.10⅝	1.10⅞	1.10⅛	1.10⅛
Min'apolis	1.11⅝	1.10⅝	1.10⅝	1.10⅞	1.09⅝	1.09⅝
Kas. City	1.06⅝	1.05⅝	1.05⅝	96⅜	94⅞	95⅛
Toledo	1.20⅝	1.20	1.20	1.05	1.04⅝	1.04⅞
Baltimore	1.18⅝	1.18	1.18	.....	.....	.....

CORN.

New York	75⅞	75⅞	75⅞	.....	.....	.....
St. Louis	67⅛	66⅝	66⅞	67	66⅝	66⅝
Kas. City	66	65⅜	65⅝	65⅝	65⅛	65⅛

Grain Inspection.

	No. 2 or better.	Standard.	No. 3.	Low grades.	Total.
Winter wheat	4	..	1	..	5
Spring wheat	..	..	1	..	1
Pacific wheat	..	..	1	..	1
Durum wheat	..	..	1	..	1
Mixed wheat	1	..	2	1	4
Corn	7	..	91	382	480
Oats	12	41	68	30	151

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON CHANGE.

The first regular annual meeting of the council of North American grain exchanges will be held in Chicago next Monday. The first session of the convention will be held at 10:30 Monday morning in the German room of the Grand Pacific hotel and other sessions will be held mornings and afternoons at the same place until the business of the association is completed. Representatives of about fourteen of the leading exchanges of the country will be in attendance and it is expected the presidents of the greater part of the exchanges belonging to the council will also be here. The first regular election of officers will be held. At the meeting held in the directors' room of the board of trade last November, at which the council was formally organized, officers were elected to serve only until the first regular meeting. Hereafter there will be a convention at Chicago every spring and another meeting in some other city every fall. The meeting place of the fall meeting will be designated at the regular spring meeting held at Chicago. Only one Canadian exchange will be represented at the coming meeting—Montreal. Winnipeg and Quebec have not yet joined the organization. A constitution and by-laws will be adopted at the meeting here next week. The movement for the closer union of the different grain exchanges of the country has been an unqualified success so far, and nearly all the exchanges of importance have evinced the greatest enthusiasm in regard to the organization. It is believed much good will accrue to the trade at large from the work that is to be carried on. S. P. Arnot, who was elected the first president of the organization at its inception last November, has been doing a great deal of work in connection with the detail work of arousing interest in the movement, reports that present indications are the organization is bound to be a great success in every way.

No relative change in cash wheat premiums was reported here, but the cash men who have been doing an excellent business with interior mills for some time past and, in fact, throughout the season to date, said yesterday the demand had disappeared. While a few shippers reported a fair inquiry most of the cash men agreed that the general state of the market for cash wheat showed less snap than for some time. In one or two instances millers resold some of the wheat bought a few weeks ago. In the Minneapolis market the demand for wheat was principally for that in cars that could be shipped east loaded with flour. Premiums were a little lower relatively. No. 1 northern selling at 1@2c over the May, North Dakota wheat being preferred. Duluth quoted No. 1 northern at May price. Winnipeg said that export bids were within ½c of a working basis. In the winter wheat markets of the southwest there was not much change in prices, but trade was quiet and the demand slow. Omaha wired that a Chicago house was bidding 3c over Chicago May for No. 2 hard wheat to arrive. Cash corn here was ⅛@½c higher and oats firm. The demand for both was moderate. Country offerings were moderate of corn and oats. Shipping sales here were 35,000 bu wheat, 60,000 bu corn, and 150,000 bu oats.

The Northwestern Miller's review, as received by Logan-Bryan: "The Minneapolis flour output was heavy again last week, being only 2,015 brls less than in the preceding week. The quantity turned out was 350,265 brls, against 275,425 in 1909. Today practically the same mills were in operation, and the week's output should approximate 325,000 brls. For the corresponding week in 1909 it was 240,080 brls. The serious shortage of cars makes the operation of the mills a laborious one. However, conditions seem to be improving. Business with a good many mills for the week was surprisingly good. The upturn in wheat on Tuesday seemed to stir up buyers, and for two or three days the bookings of the mills referred to were surprisingly large, considering it was in January. This did not mean sales of more than output in most cases, but even that, considering the rate mills are running, was a favorable showing. Shipping directions are coming in only fairly well. Sales for export were almost unheard of."

St. Louis wired that there were a good many reports of bad condition of the wheat coming. In some cases samples were forwarded showing that in some sections wheat had been winter killed. As conditions in general have been extremely favorable ever since the wheat was sown, with a generous snow covering the greater part of the time, and no lack of moisture, it was the general opinion that these reports were a little premature.

Selling of Minneapolis and Winnipeg May wheat and the buying of the May delivery in Chicago was said to have been a popular spread with several traders yesterday. Some traders believe that with big receipts continuing in the northwest the spring wheat markets will break away from the local exchange and go to a relatively lower basis.

A report to Ware-Leland from Canton, McPherson Co., Kas., said that winter wheat in that section had been badly winter killed. It was said the greater part of the late sown wheat had been killed, and lots of early sown badly damaged. Millers were said to be taking all the wheat moving.

A Minneapolis wire said that Hallett & Co. had sold about 500,000 bu May wheat from $1.11⅜ to $1.11¼. Heavy receipts of all kinds of grain there created considerable bearish feeling. A week ago May was 1½c over Chicago, while yesterday the May in both places sold at the same figure.

A Minneapolis estimate said that flour shipments from Minneapolis from Sept. 1 to date were equivalent to 37,235,000 bu wheat, in addition to which there had been 10,000,000 bu wheat shipped out from that point.

William H. Dickinson has applied for membership on the board of trade. The memberships of John D. Armstrong and of the estate of F. E. Dickinson have been posted for transfer.

Closing prices of wheat in foreign markets: Liverpool—Spot, unchanged to ½d lower; futures, ½@¾d lower. Antwerp—Unchanged; Berlin—Unchanged. Budapest—Holiday.

While receipts of wheat at St. Louis and Kansas City were fairly liberal, shipments at both places exceeded the arrivals by a comfortable margin.

Bids on the call for wheat to arrive were unchanged to 1c lower; corn ⅛c higher to 1c lower; oats, ⅛c higher to ⅛c lower; rye, unchanged to ½c lower.

Minneapolis stocks of wheat increased 375,000 bu for four days compared with a decrease of 25,000 bu the corresponding four days a year ago.

Receipts of wheat at Winnipeg were 107 cars, compared with 90 cars a week ago and 66 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

St. Louis wired: "A big cash wheat handler tells me he just offered No. 2 red to Texas millers on the basis of $1.26 St. Louis."

Estimated receipts are: Wheat, 21 cars; corn, 437 cars; oats, 214 cars; rye, 5 cars; barley, 79 cars; hogs, 26,000.

Duluth wired: "Foreigners have backed away from our wheat, and do not seem to want any more."

It was rumored that some of the Minneapolis mills were to shut down for lack of business.

New York wired that export bids for both corn and oats were away out of line.

A board of trade membership sold yesterday at $2,950 net to the buyer.

Duluth stocks of wheat show an increase of 177,000 bu for two days.

Rye	3	..	1	..	4
Barley	2	..	63	75	108
Totals	28	41	200	502	766

Inspected out from store: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 12,000 bu; No. 1 northern, 13,883 bu. Corn—No. 2 white, 2,070 bu; No. 2 mixed, 60,694 bu. Oats—Standard, 37,050 bu; No. 3 white, 12,812 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 1 car; No. 2 red, 3 cars; No. 3 red, 1 car; No. 1 northern, 3 cars. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 9 cars; No. 3 yellow, 80 cars; No. 4 yellow, 28 cars; No. 3 white, 38 cars; No. 2, 37 cars; No. 3, 32 cars. Oats—Standard, 1 car; No. 3 white, 11 cars; No. 3 mixed, 1 car; white clipped, 10 cars; 38 lb white, 4 cars; purified, 1 car; red rust proof, 1 car. Rye—No. 2, 1 car.

Daily Indemnities.

	Ups High.	Ups Low.	Ups Close.	Downs High.	Downs Low.	Downs Close.
Wheat—						
May	1.11⅝	1.10⅝	1.10⅝	1.00⅝	1.00½	1.00⅝
July	1.01⅝	1.01	1.01	1.00⅝	1.00	1.00⅝
Corn—						
May	66⅞	66⅝	66⅝	66⅝	66½	66⅝
July	66⅞	66⅝	66⅝	66⅝	66½	66⅝
Oats—						
May	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝

Weekly Indemnities.

	Next week—Ups.	Downs.
Wheat—		
May	1.14	1.07
July	1.03⅝	98⅝
Corn—		
May	68⅝	65
July	68⅝	65
Oats—		
May	47⅞	45⅝
July	44⅞	42⅝

Cash Grain Transactions.

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, jute, $5.60@6.00; straight, jute, $5.40@5.50; clear, jute, $4.50@4.75; spring wheat, special brands, wood, $6.35; Minnesota hard spring, jute, $5.30@5.40; Minnesota hard spring, straight, export bags, $5.20@5.30; first clears, $4.50@4.60; second clears, $3.50@3.60; low grade, $3.00@3.20; rye flour, white, per brl, jute, $3.90@4.00; dark, brl, jute, $3.75@3.85.

WINTER WHEAT—Steady. Sales in store and to go—Mixed lots, 10,000 bu on p. t. Local and transmississippi billing—No. 2 red, $1.28; No. 2 hard, $1.14½@1.14⅝. Illinois proportional—No. 2 red, $1.22; No. 3 hard, $1.14@1.14⅝.

SPRING WHEAT—Steady. Sales in store and to go—No. 1 northern, 25,000 bu in store at 2⅝c over May. Local and transmississippi billing—$1.08@1.13⅛.

CORN—⅛@⅜c higher. Sales in store and to go—Mixed lots, 60,000 bu on p. t. Local and transmississippi billing—Sample grade, 52@58½c; No. 4, 60¼@61⅛c; No. 4 yellow, 60⅞@62c; No. 3, 63⅞c; No. 3 yellow, 63⅞@64c. Illinois proportional billing—Sample grade, 52@60c; No. 4, 60⅛@61½c; No. 4 yellow, 59@63c; No. 3, 63@63⅝c; No. 3 yellow, 62⅞@64c; No. 4 white, 61⅛@62⅞c; No. 3 white, 65@65⅞c.

OATS—⅛@½c higher. Sales in store and to go—White clipped, 160,000 bu on p. t. Local and transmississippi billing—Sample grade, 44@48c; No. 4 white, 47@47¼c; No. 3 white, 47@48c; standard, 47⅞@48½c. Illinois proportional billing—No. 4 white, 47@47⅝c; No. 3, 47½c; No. 3 white, 47⅞@48c; standard, 48@48⅝c; No. 2 white, 48⅛@48⅝c.

RYE—Firm. Sales local and transmississippi billing—No. 2, 80@81c; No. 3, 80c.

BARLEY—Steady. Sales free on board or switched—Screenings, 52@65c; barley, 63@70c.

Cash Meat Prices.

HOG PRODUCTS—Firm. Cash lots, mess pork, $21.60@21.90; lard, $12.07½@12.10, and short ribs, $11.75@12.00, according to weight and age.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady. Prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, $20.25@20.50; extra mess beef, $12.00@12.50; plate beef, $12.50@13.00; extra plate beef, $13.25@13.50; tallow, steady at 9@9½c for edible, 7⅝@7⅞c for prime packers, 6⅝@7c for No. 1 do, and 6@6¼c for No. 2 do, 6⅝@6⅞c for No. 1 renderers, 7@7⅛c for choice country, and 6@6⅛c for No. 2 do. Oleo-stearine in light demand and quotably steady at 17@17½c. Oleo oil quiet at 13⅛@13⅝c for fine.

GREASE—Steady at 6@6½c for brown, 6⅛@6⅜c for yellow, 6⅛@6⅜c for house, 6⅞@7c for B white, 7⅛@7⅜c for A white, and 8@8⅛c for choice white.

COOPERAGE—Steady; ash pork brls, 80@85c; oak pork brls, 60@62½c, and lard tcs, $1.07½@1.17½.

VEALS.

50@60 lbs	..6c	80@85 lbs	8⅛@9⅛c
60@120 lbs	...	95@120 lbs	10⅛@11c
fancy	..9@10c	80@170 lbs, coarse	..8@9c

SOUTH WATER STREET BEEF.

	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Ribs	17½	12½	7
Loins	22	14	9
Rounds	8⅛	7	6⅛
Chucks	7	6	6
Plates	7	6½	5½

AMERICAN GRAIN MARKETS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 2.—WHEAT—May opened $1.11⅜; high, $1.11⅜@1.11⅝; low, $1.10⅝; close, $1.10⅝. July opened $1.10⅝; high, $1.10⅝; low, $1.09⅝@1.09⅝; close, $1.09⅝@1.09⅝. Cash wheat offerings continued heavy. Closing prices on track: No. 1 Northern, $1.11⅛@1.12⅝; to arrive, $1.11@1.12¼; No. 2 northern, $1.09⅛@1.10⅛; to arrive, $1.09@1.10⅛; No. 3 wheat, $1.05⅛@1.09⅛. CORN—No. 3 yellow, 58⅝@59⅛c. OATS—No. 3 white, 44⅝@44⅞c. RYE—No. 2, 75⅝@77½c. MILLSTUFFS—Shipments, 1,504 tons. BRAN—In 100 lb sacks, $23.00@23.50. FLAX—Receipts, 57 cars; a year ago, 21 cars; shipments, 6 cars. Closing price, $2.16. BARLEY—Receipts, 97 cars, a year ago 30 cars; shipments, 65 cars. Closing range, 58@66c. FLOUR—Shipments, 60,205 brls; first patents [in wood, f. o. b. Minneapolis], $5.40@5.60; second patents, $5.20@5.40; first clears, $4.35@4.45; second clears, $3.10@3.40.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 2.—Close: WHEAT—On track, No. 1 hard, $1.11⅝; No. 1 northern, $1.10⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.08⅝; to arrive, No. 1 northern, $1.10⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.08⅝; velvet chaff, $1.07⅝; May, $1.11⅝ bid; July, $1.10⅝ bid; durum on track No. 1, 98⅛c; No. 2, 96⅛c; to arrive, No. 1, 98⅛c; No. 2, 96⅛c; in store, No. 1, 96⅛c; No. 2, 96⅛c; May, 98⅛c bid; July, 98c nominal. FLAX—In store, on track and to arrive, $2.15⅛; May, $2.15⅛ bid; September, $1.70 nominal. OATS—46c. RYE—75@75⅛c. BARLEY—57@67c. Cars inspected—Wheat, 34; last year, 9; oats, 11; rye, 2; corn, 1; barley, 10; flax, 5; last year, 5; total, 61; on track, 62. Receipts—Wheat, 56,534; last year, 25,517; barley, 33,662; oats, 49,530; flax, 1,459; last year, 6,192. Shipments—Wheat, 853; last year, 2,000; barley, 1,250; oats, 4,007.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—WHEAT—Spot weak; No. 2 red, $1.31 nominal, elevator, domestic, and nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth and No. 2 hard winter, $1.26½ f. o. b. afloat nominal. May, $1.17 13-16@1.18 13-16, closed $1.18; July, $1.09⅛@1.09⅝, closed $1.09⅝. Receipts, 64,800 bu; shipments, none. CORN—Spot steady; No. 2, 73c elevator, domestic, 73⅛c delivered, and 71⅛c f. o. b. afloat. May closed 75⅞c; July, 75⅛c; September, 75⅛c. Receipts, 22,500 bu; shipments, 5,508. OATS—Quiet; mixed, 26@32 lbs, nominal; natural white, 26@32 lbs, 52⅛@55c; clipped white, 34@42 lbs, 53⅛@56⅛c. May closed 52⅝c. Receipts, 59,475 bu.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 2.—Cash—WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.09@1.13; No. 3, $1.07@1.12; No. 2 red, $1.23@1.29; No. 3, $1.20@1.28. CORN—No. 2 mixed, 63⅞@64c; No. 3, 62⅞@63⅞c; No. 2 white, 64⅞@65⅛c; No. 3, 64⅛c. OATS—No. 2 white, 46@50c; No. 2 mixed, 46@48c. RYE—70@73c. Receipts—Wheat, 65 cars.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 2.—CLOVERSEED—Cash, $8.52½; March, $8.55; April, $8.35; October, $6.80; prime old, $8.50; N. R. G., $7.25. TIMOTHY—Prime, $2.00. ALSIKE—Prime, $7.85; March, $7.90.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 2.—CORN—Active. No. 3 yellow, 62c; No. 4 yellow, 58@59c; No. 3 mixed, 62c; No. 4 mixed, 58@58⅛c; no grade, 54@57c. OATS—Firm; No. 3 white, 47c; standard, 47⅛c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 2.—Closing: WHEAT—Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stock; futures dull; March, 8s 3⅝d; May, 8s ¾d; July, 7s 10⅛d. CORN—Spot steady; new American mixed, 5s 7⅛d; old American mixed, 5s 9d; futures dull; March, 5s 7⅛d; May nominal.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Abnormally light receipts enabled salesmen to recover all the losses suffered last week, and sales of native steers were made at a net gain of 35@50c over Friday's low level, while lambs cleared at an advance of 50@75c. Sheep were up 40@65c, and hogs showed a net advance of 35@45c over last week's low level. The upturns in prices failed to intimidate buyers, and they were just as anxious to pay the advanced prices as they were reluctant to fill orders at the lowest figures in force last week. Supplies of all kinds received in time for the trade were absorbed within a few hours, and after the early arrivals had been taken up packers and shippers were standing around with unfilled orders waiting for stock that had been delayed in transit.

CATTLE.

The posting of receipts at only 10,000 head, a number which was much smaller than even the insignificant report given out by the railroads the preceding day had led traders to expect, sent buyers for local and outside interests scurrying through the cattle alleys, and the market was given a start such as it has not enjoyed in months. Practically all of the opening bids being at an advance of 15@25c over Tuesday's level. Later in the day, although the estimate on receipts was raised to 12,000, buyers did not content themselves with offers that were just a measured amount higher than the preceding day's figures, but bid up as high as they thought it necessary, and filled orders on the most favorable basis possible without considering just how much advance they were paying. The result was that cattle which would have sold at $6.25@6.50 late last week found an outlet at up to $7.00, while other loads of better or cheaper animals showed corresponding gains.

General quality of the steers was not up to the standard of the offerings here earlier in the week, and although all classes of stock were at least 15@25c higher than on Monday, the best price reached was $7.50, against $7.60 in the latter day. Fat, strongweight beeves received first call and showed the most gain. Butcher stock trade was strong and active at an advance of 10@15c, and sales were made at an upturn of 15@25c over last week's closing levels. Bulls sold higher in sympathy with other kinds of cattle, while calves were rigidly sustained at the advance made on Tuesday. Stocker and feeder trade also benefited by the improvement in the market for beef cattle and sold at an advance of 10@15c over last week's low closing level. Quotations:

Beef steers, good to choice	$6.00@7.50
Beef steers, plain to good	4.00@6.00
Yearling steers, good to prime	6.25@7.50
Exporters	5.75@6.50
Beef cows, good to choice	5.00@5.75
Beef cows, plain to good	3.10@3.50
Fat heifers, good to choice	3.70@5.50
Heifers, extra selected	5.80@6.10
Canners and cutters	2.00@3.15
Calves, common to choice heavy	3.50@6.00
Good to prime veals	8.00@9.25
Feeding steers	3.50@5.25
Bulls	3.00@5.00

Cattle at six western markets, 26,200, against 47,000 a week ago, 47,000 a year ago, and 35,700 two years ago. Total for 1910 to date, 794,000, against 770,000 the same period in 1909.

HOGS.

Market opened at an advance of 5@10c, but closed with most of the gain coded back. There was a revival of eastern buying interest and order buyers, with the speculators, gave the market its start at an upturn of 5@10c, a scalper paying up to $8.80, against $8.70 Tuesday, for a load of prime heavy butcher hogs. Packers refused to follow any advance in prices, and although they paid a slight appreciation for occasional loads of good to choice heavy offerings, they succeeded in making up their droves of mixed hogs at figures which did not show much advance over Tuesday's best prices. The average for the day was raised to $8.60, against $8.54 Tuesday, however, and the market closed in an exceptionally strong position, with little stock left in first hands and with traders looking for prices to make further recovery from the recent decline.

Receipts were placed at 24,000 to 25,000 head, but all of them did not get in early enough for the trade, and the fear that supplies would fall short of the expected volume led the eastern shippers to bid higher prices at the outset before they had any intimation as to what the packers proposed to do. Sales of prime heavy hogs were made at $8.65@8.75 for the bulk, with medium to good heavy mixed packing grades at $8.40@8.60 and light mixed hogs at $8.25@8.45. Pigs met with a more active inquiry and sold up to $8.00@8.10 for choice strong weight lots. Quotations:

Bulk of sales	$8.50@8.70
Common to good mixed	8.20@8.60
Fair to choice medium weight	8.55@8.75
Select 250@300 lb packing	8.55@8.75
Fair to fancy shipping	8.60@8.80
Medium to prime butchers	8.40@8.75
Common to choice lightweights	8.20@8.65
Selected pigs, 110@150 lbs	7.75@8.10
Mixed pigs, 110 lbs and lighter	6.00@7.50
Boars, according to weight	5.00@6.65
Stags, according to weight	5.00@8.50

Average price of hogs at Chicago, $8.60, against $8.54 on Tuesday, $8.20 a week ago, $6.26 a year ago, and $4.48 two years ago.

Eleven markets received 65,000 hogs, against 85,400 a week ago, 151,100 a year ago, and 112,500 two years ago. Total for 1910 to date, 2,484,000, against 3,445,000 the same period in 1909.

Hog purchases for the day follow: Armour & Co., 5,000; Swift & Co., 2,300; Anglo-American, 1,800; Hammond, 800; Morris & Co., 1,300; Boyd-Lunham, 1,600; Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, 1,000; Boore & Co., 650; Roberts & Oake, 900; Western Packing company, 1,000; butchers, 1,500; shippers, 4,500; total, 20,800; left over, 10,000.

SHEEP.

Further gains of 10@25c were paid for sheep and lambs, and competition between buyers was the most spirited seen here in months. Packers, independent butchers, shippers, and exporters were represented in the market, and chutes were lined with buyers, who were anxious to get in the first bid on each load of desirable stock taken out of the cars and who seldom left an attractive band of stock until after a bargain had been struck. The presence of exporters in the trade was of special benefit to the sheep market, and matured muttons sold at a smaller discount under lambs than at any previous time this winter, sales of western wethers at $6.65@6.75 being at record figures for the season. Lambs met with just as much favor, but their quality was not so attractive and they did not reach new high levels, although many buyers were of the opinion that they were the most expensive offerings sold here this winter, when their lack of quality was considered.

An independent butcher sorted out a small band of native lambs at $8.75, while another outsider bought a double deck of prime westerns at $8.65. Leading packers secured several strings of native and western lambs at $8.60 and paid $8.25@8.50 for stock which would have had to sell at a discount of 75c and more under the market toppers on a day of more liberal supplies. Shorn lambs of inferior quality made $7.00@7.75, while feeders cleared at $7.40@7.50. An exporter paid $6.65 for western wethers, while local killers bought good to choice offerings at $6.25@6.75, paying the latter figure for a big string of wethers and yearlings mixed. Western yearlings made $7.00@8.15, with Colorados at $8.25. Native ewes and wethers mixed reached $6.60, while straight ewes sold at $3.50@6.00, and wethers made $6.00@6.50. Quotations:

Western wethers	$5.50@6.65
Native wethers	6.00@6.75
Native ewes	3.25@6.00
Western ewes	4.25@5.90
Bucks and stags	3.50@5.00
Native lambs, good to choice	7.75@8.75
Native lambs, plain to good	6.75@7.75
Fed yearlings	6.75@8.25
Fed western lambs	7.25@8.65
Feeding lambs	7.00@7.90
Clipped lambs	6.75@8.10

The movements of live stock at Chicago stockyards compares as follows:

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday, Jan. 31	19,565	537	24,581	15,624
Tuesday, Feb. 1	4,497	1,106	18,236	10,214
Wednesday, Feb. 2	12,000	1,500	25,000	17,000
Week so far	36,062	3,143	77,817	42,755
Week ago	53,021	4,148	74,568	52,514
Year ago	43,928	2,995	124,242	40,612
Two years ago	49,308	3,490	103,267	60,731
Shipments—				
Monday, Jan. 31	6,870	51	3,832	2,840
Tuesday, Feb. 1	3,632	...	2,614	2,405
Wednesday, Feb. 2	5,000	40	4,500	2,500
Week so far	15,502	91	10,946	7,754
Week ago	15,859	177	10,155	7,537
Year ago	14,228	52	82,290	4,703
Two years ago	18,387	49	30,455	14,572

Receipts for Feb. 3 were estimated at 9,000 cattle, 24,000 hogs, and 15,000 sheep, against actual arrivals of 9,456 cattle, 33,734 hogs, and 5,779 sheep for Thursday, Feb. 4, 1909.

STOCKYARDS GOSSIP.

Marketings for the week thus far, as compared to a week ago, showed a decrease of 17,000 head in receipts of cattle and a reduction of 9,300 head in sheep arrivals. The fact that eastern shipments showed no corresponding reductions accentuated the deficits in available supplies and left buyers no alternative but to pay higher prices if they wanted to use discrimination in filling orders.

Receipts of hogs for the week thus far increased 3,300 head, but this surplus in marketings was easily handled by packers and shippers, who found their stocks sorely depleted after the curtailed purchases of the preceding week. As compared to a year ago, receipts of hogs showed a deficit of 46,400 head.

Demand for sheep and lambs was broader than on any previous day in many weeks, as local packers and butchers were in need of generous supplies, while local order buyers had many commissions from eastern killers and western feeders and exporters were on the market for stock for the first time this year.

A reduction of ½c was made in the price of American beeves on the Liverpool market, according to the Farmers and Drovers' Journal, which quoted prices at 13⅛c, against 13⅝c on last Monday.

Fred Johnson bought a single deck of prime 187 lbs western wethers at $6.65 for export to the Bermuda islands.

A string of 144 wethers and yearlings mixed, weighing an average of 86 lbs, sold up to $6.75, and a small band of straight wethers made the same figure, the highest price reached by sheep here this winter.

Armour & Co. had 800 hogs in direct from St. Paul, while Hammond and the Anglo-American company had about 2,000 head in from the Milwaukee market. The former made up an additional drove of 2,200 head here.

Sheep for which packers refused to pay $5.70 late last week were in urgent demand at $6.30 and higher on the day's market.

Hogs left over unsold from Tuesday's market were officially counted at 7,454 head.

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,900; 10@15c higher. Native shipping and exports steers, $6.50@7.50; dressed beef and butcher steers, $5.40@6.50; steers under 1,000 lbs, $4.00@5.35; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.00; cows and heifers, $3.25@5.00; canners, $2.50@3.00; bulls, $3.40@5.00; calves, $6.75@8.75; Texas and Indian steers, $4.40@5.25; cows and heifers, $3.10@4.50. HOGS—Receipts, 5,500; 10c higher. Pigs and lights, $6.30@8.60; packers, $8.45@8.65; butchers and best heavy, $8.60@8.75. SHEEP—Receipts, 2,200; 10@15c higher. Native muttons, $4.50@5.55; lambs, $7.00@8.65; culls and bucks, $4.50@5.50; stockers, $3.25@4.00.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000; 10@15c higher. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $6.10@7.25; fair to good, $5.70@6.00; western steers, $4.75@6.50; stockers and feeders, $3.60@5.25; southern steers, $4.25@5.75; southern cows, $3.00@4.50; native cows, $2.90@5.00; native heifers, $5.50@6.25; bulls, $3.40@5.10; calves, $4.00@9.00. HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; 10c higher; top, $8.65; bulk of sales, $8.25@8.60; heavy, $8.50@8.65; packers and butchers, $8.40@8.60; light, $8.20@8.50; pigs, $7.50@8.00. SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000; 10@15c higher. Lambs, $7.00@8.50; yearlings, $6.70@7.90; wethers, $5.25@6.25; ewes, $4.75@5.75; stockers and breeders, $3.50@5.50.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—BEEVES—Receipts, 2,280; irregular; steers, $5.40@6.90; oxen, $4.60@5.75; bulls, $3.75@4.70; cows, $2.50@4.10. Dressed beef firm at 8⅛@10⅛c; choice, 11c. Exports, 25 cattle and 63 sheep. CALVES—Receipts, 1,848; veals steady to strong; barnyard and fed calves firm; westerns nominal; veals, $6.00@10.50; culls, $5.00@5.50; barnyard and fed calves, $3.50@4.50; dressed calves steady. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 7,137; higher; sheep [all ewes], $4.00@5.50; lambs, $8.00@9.00; culls, $7.50. HOGS—Receipts, 5,970; higher, at $8.85@9.00.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500; market 10c higher; natives, $4.75@7.00; Texas and westerns, $4.25@6.75; cows and heifers, $2.50@5.50; bulls and stags, $3.00@5.00; veals, $3.50@8.00; yearlings and calves, $3.25@4.40; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.30. HOGS—Receipts, 5,000; market big; 10c higher; top, $8.65; light and light mixed, $8.15@8.40; medium and heavy, $8.35@8.65; pigs, $6.90@7.35; bulk sales, $8.35@8.55. SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000; market 10@15c higher; lambs, $8.00@8.40; yearlings and wethers, $5.65@7.75; ewes, $5.00@5.65.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,000; active, 10@15c higher; native steers, $4.00@7.00; cows and heifers, $3.00@5.15; western steers, $3.35@6.00; Texas steers, $3.00@5.00; cows and heifers, $2.50@4.75; canners, $2.25@3.25; stockers and feeders, $2.80@5.30; calves, $3.50@8.00; bulls, stags, etc., $3.00@5.00. HOGS—Receipts, 6,400; 10c higher; heavy, $8.40@8.60; mixed, $8.30@8.40; light, $8.25@8.45; pigs, $7.00@7.75; bulk of sales, $8.30@8.45. SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000; 10@15c higher; yearlings, $6.40@7.40; wethers, $5.25@6.10; ewes, $4.90@5.75; lambs, $7.50@8.35.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Feb. 2.—[Special.]—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; higher; beeves, $4.35@6.85; butcher stock, $3.40@5.00; canners and cutters, $2.65@3.25; veals, $3.00@7.50; bulls and stags, $3.00@5.00; feeders, $4.00@5.15; calves and yearlings, $3.25@4.25; heifers, $2.75@3.50. HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; 5@10c higher; $8.05@8.45; bulk, $8.25@8.35.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 2.—[Special]—CATTLE—None here; strong. VEALS—Receipts, 100; active, firm; $7.50@10.50. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 500; active; firmer; lambs, $7.50@8.80; yearlings, $7.50@8.00; sheep, $3.50@6.65. HOGS—Receipts, 1,700; active; 25@50c higher; yorkers, pigs, and mixed, $9.00; heavies, $9.05; roughs, $8.00@8.25.

Chicago Horse Market.

Attendance of buyers in the market for horses was fair, but receipts were much in excess of requirements and sales were made at a decline of $10.00@15.00 from last week's average prices. A few fancy draft animals were disposed of to eastern dealers at figures which showed little decline, but most of the outsiders claimed that prices were too high to allow them a trading margin and that they would be forced out of the market if values here were not lowered. Horses were sold at less than country cost in many instances and the general market was an unsatisfactory one to the country shippers. Sales were made at $165.00@225.00 for good to choice drafters, with occasional lots of extreme weight animals at $250.00 and higher. Farm mares made $65.00@165.00, and small southern chunks sold up to $150.00, with second hand city horses at $25.00@75.00. Receipts for three days aggregated 2,086 head, against 1,771 a week ago, and 1,544 a year ago.

Hides and Wool.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—HIDES—Offerings were liberal and prices easy. Quotations:

	Lb.		Lb.
No. 1 hides	11½c	No. 2 kip	10c
No. 2 hides	10½c	No. 1 calf	16c
Brand hides, all wts	10c	No. 2 calf	14½c
No. 1 bulls	10c	No. 1 tallow	6⅛c
No. 2 bulls	9c	No. 2 tallow	5⅛c
No. 1 kip p.	11½c		

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—WOOL—Moderate offerings met with a steady demand at unchanged prices. Quotations:

Tub washed—

Burry, dingy to medium	22@34c
Unwashed from all bright wool sections—	
Heavy to fine delaine	18@22c
Burry to medium	22@30c
Southern wools—	
Semi-bright from north and northwest sections—	
Heavy to fine medium	19@25c

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 2.—WOOL—Unchanged; medium grades, combing and clothing, 24@29c; light fine, 22@27c; heavy fine, 12@21c; tub washed, 29@31c.

IN THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

EGGS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Prices suffered another decline of 1c and buyers could not be induced to take hold. Receipts were 2,808 cases and the market had a weak, depressed undertone. Quotations:

Prime firsts	29c	Do firsts	28c
Extra, 90 per cent fresh	31c	Do seconds	15@17c
		Storage extras	23⅛@25c

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—EGGS—Easy; receipts, 10,622 cases; state, Pennsylvania, and nearby hennery, brown and mixed, fancy, 33@34c; do, gathered, brown, fair to prime, 31@33c; western first, 31½c. Eggs in Philadelphia weak and 1c lower; Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, free cases, 32c at mark; do, current receipts in returnable cases, 30c at mark; western firsts, free cases, 32c at mark; do, current receipts, free cases, 28@30c at mark.

BUTTER.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Market was weak and demand dull, but prices were sustained at an unchanged level. Receipts were 4,631 tubs. Quotations:

Creamery extras	30c	Do firsts	27c
Extra firsts	29c	Packing	22⅛@23c
Do seconds	25c	Dairies, extras	29c

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—BUTTER—Steady; receipts, 4,734 tubs; creamery, third to first, 26⅛@29c; western factory, 23@24⅛c; western imitation creamery, 25@26c. Butter in Philadelphia dull and 1c lower; extra western creamery, 32c; do, nearby prints, 33c.

CHEESE.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 2.—Moderate offerings met with a steady demand, and prices were sustained at a firm level. Quotations:

Swiss	18@19c	Western twins	16⅛@16⅝c
Limburger	15⅛c	Longhorns	16⅛@16⅝c
Brick	16c	Daisies	16⅝@17c

APPLETON, Wis., Feb. 2.—CHEESE—Seven factories offered 387 boxes of cheese on the call board, and sales were made of 84 cheddars and 226 twins at 16c. Fifty-seven boxes were withdrawn.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—CHEESE—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 1,542. Cheese in Philadelphia—Firm; New York full creams, choice, 17⅛@17⅝c; do fair to good, 16⅛@17c.

POULTRY.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Receipts were moderate, and the market was kept free from accumulations. Prices remained at a steady level. Quotations:

Dressed—		Live—	
Chickens	14½@15c	Fowls	13@14c
Springs	14½@15c	Springs	15c
Turkeys	22@24c	Roosters	10c
Ducks	15@17c	Turkeys	16@17c
Geese	10@13c	Ducks	14@15c

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—POULTRY—Alive firm; western chickens, 15c; fowls, 17c; turkeys, 15@17c. Dressed dull; western chickens, 15@23c; fowls, 14@18c; turkeys, 22@25c.

VEGETABLES.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Potato prices continued their downward slide, further recessions of 2c being recorded. Receipts were 28 cars, and the trade was lethargic. Green vegetables met with a fair inquiry at steady to firm figures. Quotations:

Beets, sacks	50@65c	Radishes, dos bunches	35@50c
Cabbage, brls	$1.25@2.00	Turnips, sacks	50@75c
Carrots, sacks	50@75c	String beans, choice, hampers	$5.00@5.75
Cauliflower, crates	$1.25@2.00	Wax beans, hampers	$4.00@4.75
Celery, box	65c@$1.25	Tomatoes, 6 baskets	$1.50@2.75
Lettuce, head, brls	$3.00@4.50	Squash, Hubbards, brls	$1.50
Do leaf, cases	25@30c	Mushrooms, No. 1	15@30c
Potatoes, bu	40@48c		
Do sweet, brls	$1.50@2.50		
Peppers, per case	$2.00@2.50		
Onions, sacks	90c@$1.50		

FRUITS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Fancy California oranges and sound, ripe strawberries met with a good inquiry at firm prices, but all other fruits were neglected. Quotations:

Apples, brls	$1.75@5.75	Grape fruit	$2.75@5.75
Grapes, kegs	$2.00@4.00	Cranberries, brls	$3.50@6.00
Lemons, box	$3.00@3.75	Strawberries, qts	50@75c
Oranges, box	$1.50@3.00		
Tangerines	$1.50@3.50		

HAY.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Weak; receipts, 1,189 tons; shipments, 146 tons. Quotations: Choice timothy, $18.50@19.00; No. 1 timothy, $17.00@18.00; No. 2 timothy and No. 1 mixed, $16.00@17.00; No. 3 timothy and No. 2 mixed, $13.00@15.00; Kansas and Oklahoma prairie, choice, $15.00@15.50; No. 1, $14.00@14.50; No. 2, $12.00@13.50; Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, and Dakota prairie, choice, $13.50@14.50; No. 1, $12.50@13.50; No. 2, $9.00@12.00.

STRAW.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Easy; rye, $10.00@11.00; oats, $9.00@9.50, and wheat, $8.60@9.00.

BROOMCORN.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Offerings were moderate and prices firm at $200.00@240.00 for all varieties.

Groceries.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Evaporated apples were held at weak prices, but gallon offerings were well taken and prices showed a strong upward tendency. Peaches, apricots, and prunes were firm, with limited supplies chiefly responsible for the buoyancy of the market. Firmness in the market for raw sugar was reflected in stronger prices of sirups, molasses, and glucose. Retailers were good buyers of these commodities and of rice, tapioca, tea, and all package cereals. There was also a steady demand for canned vegetables of all kinds and spot tomatoes were particularly well held. Interest in futures was confined to leading brands of corn and peas.

Sugar and Coffee.

SUGAR.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Firmness in the market for raw sugars and moderate offerings of the refined products were responsible for a stronger undertone in the market for the latter. Following were ruling prices in wholesale circles, quotations being on 100 lb lots: Standard granulated, beet and cane, $5.22@5.32; cut loaf, H. & E. $6.32; standard powdered, $5.75; extra C, $5.05; canary, $4.75; chemically pure milk sugar, 22c per lb in brl lots.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—SUGAR—Raw firm; Muscovado, '89 test, $3.67½; centrifugal, '96 test, $4.17½; molasses sugar, '89 test, $3.42½. Refined steady; crushed, $5.85; granulated, $5.15; powdered, $5.25.

COFFEE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Market for spot roasted coffees was in good condition and prices were sustained at a firm level. Receipts of green coffees at Rio were 5,000 bags; Santos, 7,000 bags.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—COFFEE—The market for futures opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points on a little buying promoted by the increase in the world's visible supply for the month of January. Sales were reported of 2,500 bags, including September at 7.10c and December at 7.05c. The world's visible supply of coffee decreased 814,244 bags for the month of January, compared with a decrease of 388,793 for the same month last year. The world's visible as of Sept. 1 was 15,755,029 bags, compared with 15,341,480 last year. Spot coffee quiet; No. 7 Rio, 8⅝@8⅞c; No. 4 Santos, 9@9⅛c. Mild coffee quiet; Cordova, 9@11½c.

Dry Goods.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Business in wholesale dry goods continued of brisk character and interest was well distributed to all branches of the market, although more orders were booked for wash goods, domestics, and white goods than for any other class of merchandise. Many merchants were anticipating their requirements for plain colored flannelettes as far in advance as possible, being firmly convinced that the high price of raw cotton would bring about higher costs before the season is far advanced. Dress goods for fall met with a steadily broadening inquiry and larger sales of spring silks were reported.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet, 10 points higher; middling uplands, 14.80c; middling gulf, 15.05c; no sales. Futures opened steady and closed steady. Quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
March	14.49	14.55	14.37	14.52	14.46
May	14.53	14.61	14.46	14.57	14.54
July	14.42	14.51	14.37	14.48	14.43
August	13.98	14.11	13.95	14.06	13.97
October	12.68	12.72	12.60	12.71	12.65

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 2.—COTTON—Spots quiet and steady, unchanged; middling, 14⅞c. Sales on the spot, 221 bales; to arrive, 100 bales. Futures closed steady.

Months.	Open bid.	High.	Low.	Closing bid.
February	14.32	....	....	14.38
March	14.51	15.62	14.48	14.53
May	14.70	14.81	14.68	14.74
July	14.84	14.92	14.73	14.85
September	*13.28	13.28	13.22	13.25
October	12.66	12.67	12.61	12.65
December	12.46	....	....	12.48

*Asked.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 2.—Closing—COTTON—Spot good business done; prices 6 points higher; American middling fair, 8.21d; good middling, 7.95d; middling, 7.79d; low middling, 7.69; good ordinary, 7.43; ordinary, 7.18d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation an export, and included 9,500 American. Receipts, 19,000 bales, including 11,700 American. Futures opened quiet and steady and closed barely steady. February, 7.57d; February-March, 7.56½d; March-April, 7.58d; April-May, 7.58½d; May-June, 7.59½d; June-July, 7.58d; July-August, 7.55½d; August-September, 7.25½d; September-October, 6.85d; October-November, 6.67d; November-December, 6.59d; December-January, 6.57½d; January-February, 6.57½d; February-March, 6.57½d.

Oils.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—OILS—Standard white, 150, 9⅝c; perfection, 150, 10⅝c; headlight, 175, 11⅛c; eocene, 12c; elaine, 17½c; Michigan test, w. w., 11⅛; p. w., 10⅛c; gasoline, 14c; machine gasoline, 24c; linseed oil, raw, single brls, 76c; 5 brl lots, 75c; boiled, single brls, 77c; 5 brl lots, 76c; turpentine, 65½c; summer black oil, 7½c; winter black oil, 8c. These quotations apply on brl lots f. o. b.

OIL CITY, Pa., Feb. 2.—Credit balances, $1.40. Runs, 168,839; average, 152,371; shipments, 205,208.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—PETROLEUM—Steady; refined, brls, $7.90. COTTONSEED OIL—Steady; prime crude southeast, $6.00 asked; prime summer yellow, $7.15@7.25; March, $7.17@7.18; May, $7.25@7.26; July, $7.29@7.30; September, $7.25@7.26.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 2.—OIL—North Lima, 84c; South Lima, 79c; Indiana, 79c.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 2.—COTTONSEED OIL—Prime refined in brls, per lb, 7.20c.

Resin, Turpentine.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 2.—TURPENTINE—Firm, 59⅛@60c; sales, 1,039 casks; receipts, 220 casks; shipments, 140 casks. RESIN—Firm; sales, 1,658 brls; receipts, 2,065 brls; shipments, 637 brls; stocks, 144,404 brls. Quote: B, D, $4.25; E, $4.25@4.30; F, $4.37½@4.40; G, $4.40@4.42½; H, $4.50; I, $4.70; K, $5.75; M, $6.30; N, $6.60; WG, $7.05; WW, $7.30.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 2.—SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing; receipts, 108 casks. RESIN—Steady, $3.85; receipts, 100 brls. TAR—Firm, $2.00; receipts, 124 brls. CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm; $3.00@4.50; receipts, 74 casks.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 2.—TURPENTINE—Steady, 60c. RESIN—Firm; quote: A, B, C, $4.27½; D, $4.27½; E, $4.35; F, $4.40; G, $4.40; H, $4.50; I, $4.70; K, $5.70; M, $6.30; N, $6.65; W G, $7.05; WW, $7.30.

Metals.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The market for standard copper on the New York metal exchange was weak today with spot and February closing at $13.00@13.20; March and April at $13.00@13.12½. The London market was lower, with spot closing at £59 12s 6d and futures at £60 10s. Local dealers quote lake copper at $13.62½@13.87½, electrolytic at $13.37½@13.62½, and casting at $13.12½@13.50. Arrivals of copper at this port today were 15 tons, and exports, according to custom returns, were 1,575 tons. TIN—Easy, with spot quoted at $32.50@32.75; February, March, April, and May at $32.50@32.60. The London tin market was lower, with spot closing at £147 15s and futures at £149 7s 6d. LEAD—Dull, with spot quoted at $4.67½@4.72½ New York; $4.55@4.60 East St. Louis. The London market was higher at £13 7s 6d. SPELTER—Weak, with spot quoted at $5.90@6.20 New York and at $5.65@5.75 East St. Louis. The London market was unchanged at £23 5s. The English iron market was lower, at 51s 3d for Cleveland warrants. Locally no change was reported. No. 1 foundry northern, $18.50@19.00; No. 2, $18.25@18.75; No. 1 southern and No. 1 southern soft, $18.50@19.00.

ANTIMONY—The market was dull, but prices closed unchanged. Prices are: $8.50 for Cookson's, $8.25@8.37½ for Hallett's, and $7.87½@7.62½ for ordinary brands. The London market is quoted at £30 10s for Hallett's and £29 10s for ordinary brands.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 2.—LEAD—Firm at $4.57½@4.60. SPELTER—Dull; $5.77½.

IN THE FOREIGN STOCK MARKET.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Money was plentiful and easy and discount rates were quiet today. The opinion of traders is more divided regarding an early reduction in the Bank of England rate of discount owing to the recent withdrawals of gold for Paris. Trading on the stock exchange opened steady, but developed irregularity and weakness later. Consols, in which the settlement was concluded, yielded to bear sales and depressed other gilt edged securities. Fears of trouble in the coal trade affected home rails, while copper shares declined in sympathy with lower metal prices. Brazilian and Japanese bonds were strong on conversion reports, and in the afternoon Paris support helped Kaffirs and a few foreign securities. In the American section the opening was quiet at a fractional advance. During the first hour the market lacked support and the gains partially disappeared. Trading was listless until New York buying caused a good recovery, but under more frequent offerings later the market closed heavy.

LONDON CLOSING STOCKS.

Consols for mon.	81 15-16	Louisv. & Nash.	...
Do for acct.	82 1-16	M., K. & T.	...
Amal. Copper	83⅛	N. Y. Central	...
Anaconda	10⅛	Norf. & Western	...
Atchison	118⅛	Do pfd.	...
Do pfd.	105⅛	Ont. & Western	...
Balt. & Ohio	116⅛	Pennsylvania	...
Can. Pacific	184⅛	Rand Mines	...
Chesap. & Ohio	86	Reading	...
Chicago G. Western	31⅛	Southern Ry.	...
C., M. & St. P.	151⅛	Do pfd.	...
De Beers	19	Southern Pacific	...
Den. & Rio Grande	43	Union Pacific	...
Do pfd.	85	Do pfd.	...
Erie	29⅛	U. S. Steel	...
Do 1st pfd.	47⅛	Do pfd.	...
Do 2d pfd.	37	Wabash	...
Grand Trunk	20⅛	Do pfd.	...
Illinois Central	144⅛	Spanish 4s	...

Bar silver steady, 23⅝d per ounce. Money, ... per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 9-16@2⅝ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2 9-16@2⅝ per cent.

BERLIN, Feb. 2.—Trading was dull and prices were irregular on the boerse today. Exchange on London, 20m 46½ pfg for checks. Money, ... per cent. Private rate of discount, 3 per cent.

The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes:

Cash in hand, decreased	...
Loans, increased	...
Discounts, increased	...
Treasury bills, decreased	...
Notes in circulation, increased	...
Deposits, decreased	...
Gold in hand decreased	...

PARIS, Feb. 2.—Prices continued to recede on the bourse today, but the market closed steadier owing to a decline in Rio Tinto. Three per cent rentes, 98f 82½c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 17½c for checks.

REVIEW OF METAL TRADES.

Mills Continue to Receive Specifications in Large Volume—Weakness in Pig Iron.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The Iron Age will say tomorrow that the iron trade shows the working of cross currents. The mills continue to receive specifications in large volume, and though there is quietness in some finished lines, consumption is at a rate that would be considered remarkable except by comparison with the unusual movement of four months ago. The pig iron market shows further weakness, due to the pressure of iron for delivery in the next few months, stocks having accumulated in some sections. Buyers seem to have put aside for the time being negotiations for iron for the second half of the year.

The weakness in basic iron in the central west is due to the existence of stocks reported at 60,000 tons owned by speculators, and iron has been offered at $16.50, and lower at valley furnace for prompt shipment. Furnaces are asking $17.00.

In rails it is understood that the Baltimore and Ohio purchases have been completed, about 50,000 tons being divided between the Chicago and Pittsburg districts, while 25,000 tons went to an eastern mill.

An index to the larger activity in the foundry trade is the appearance of inquiries in the New York machinery market for $1,000,000 worth of equipment for machine shop work. Not in three years has there been such a volume of prospective business before the machinery trade.

RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

WESTERN ROADS.

*Daily. †Sunday. ‡Ex. Saturday. ¶Ex. Sunday. §Ex. Monday.

Chicago & North Western

Ticket office, 212 Clark st. (Telephone Central ...) and Wells Street Station. Information Bureau, Telephone Main ... and Automatic ...

Leave		Arrive
†7:00 am	Milwaukee, Madison	...
a†8:00 am	Milwaukee, Sheboygan, Manitowoc	...
†8:25 am	Rockford and Freeport	...
†8:25 am	via Elgin	...
*9:00 am	St. Paul, Minneapolis, Madison, La Crosse, Winona, Minneiska and Dak.	...
a†9:00 am	Milwaukee, Green Bay, Menominee	...
*9:00 am	Marshfield via Merrillan	...
†9:30 am	Rockford via Harvard	...
*10:00 am	Omaha, Cedar Rapids, Des Moines	...
†11:00 am	Elgin, Rockford, Freeport	...
†11:30 am	Milwaukee, Green Bay, Sheboygan, Manitowoc, Wausau, Marshfield	...
†11:30 am	Kenosha, Racine, Milwaukee	...
†12:30 pm	Cedar Rapids and intermediate	...
†2:00 pm	Milwaukee and Madison	...
*3:00 pm	Milwaukee, Green Bay, Menominee	...
†3:00 pm	Milwaukee, Madison	...
†4:00 pm	Beloit, Janesville, Madison	...
*4:00 pm	Kenosha, Racine, Milwaukee	...
†4:15 pm	Elgin, Rockford, Freeport	...
*5:00 pm	Milwaukee, Sheboygan, Manitowoc, Appleton Jct., Ashland	...
*5:00 pm	Oshkosh, Wausau, Marshfield	...
*6:00 pm	Denver, Omaha and Council Bluffs	...
*6:05 pm	Des Moines, Omaha, Sioux City	...
*6:05 pm	Duluth, Superior, Janesville	...
*6:30 pm	Milwaukee and Racine	...
b*6:30 pm	Elgin, Rockford, Freeport	...
*6:35 pm	St. Paul, Minneapolis, Madison	...
*7:00 pm	Omaha, Ogden, Salt Lake, San Francisco, Los Angeles	...
*7:00 pm	Northern Iowa and Dakotas	...
*8:00 pm	Milwaukee, Calumet, Marquette	...
*8:00 pm	Sault Ste. Marie (Through Sleeper)	...
*9:00 pm	La Crosse, Winona, Black Hills	...
*10:00 pm	Portland and Puget Sound points	...
*10:00 pm	St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth	...
*10:30 pm	Milwaukee, Green Bay, Escanaba	...
*10:45 pm	Omaha, Des Moines, Denver	...
*10:45 pm	Omaha, Sioux City, Black Hills	...
*10:45 pm	Salt Lake, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Omaha, Cedar Rapids	...
*10:45 pm	Portland and Puget Sound points	...
b10:00 pm	Omaha, Northern Iowa and Dakota	...
†2:00 am	Milwaukee, Marquette, Ashland, Wausau, Marshfield, Grand Rapids	...
*3:00 am	Beloit, Janesville, Madison, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Superior and Duluth	...
*3:00 am	La Crosse and Winona	...

(a) Daily Chicago-Milwaukee. (b) Sunday ... (d) Except Sunday north of Green Bay. (p) Daily between Chicago and Omaha.

NEWBUIL[...]
BANK IS [...]

Eight Story Of[...] Likely to Be[...] Madison an[...]

OTHER WEST [...]

Modern Parlor [...] Buys Land at [...] and Bloomin[...]

An eight story bank [...] cost around $200,000, is [...] west corner of Madison [...] as the result of negotia[...] tically closed for the [...] land.

The transaction invo[...] nah & Hogg of the b[...] estate in the ground w[...] 118 feet on Madison st[...] 50 feet on Halsted stre[...] tion is said to be $80,0[...]

The ground belongs t[...] B. Peabody, and was [...] Hogg about two yea[...] rental of about $13,00[...] prospective purchaser [...] deal is reported as goo[...]

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Furniture House [...]

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section the opening was quiet at a fractional advance. During the first hour the market lost support and the gains partially disappeared. Trading was listless until New York buying caused a good recovery, but under more frequent offerings later the market closed heavy.

LONDON CLOSING STOCKS.

Consols for mon.	81 15-16	Louisv. & Nash.	[illegible]
Do for acct.	82 1-16	N. K. & T.	[illegible]
Amal. Copper	63¾	N. Y. Central	[illegible]
Anaconda	10⅝	Nor. & Western	[illegible]
Atchison	118⅝	Do pfd	[illegible]
Do pfd	104¾	Ont. & Western	[illegible]
Balt. & Ohio	117¾	Pennsylvania	[illegible]
Can. Pacific	154¾	Rand Mines	[illegible]
Chesap. & Ohio	86	Reading	[illegible]
Chic. G. O. Western	21¼	Southern Ry.	[illegible]
C., M. & St. P.	151½	Do pfd	[illegible]
De Beers	19	Southern Pacific	[illegible]
Den. & Rio Grande	40	Union Pacific	[illegible]
Do pfd	89	Do pfd	[illegible]
Erie	29⅝	U. S. Steel	[illegible]
Do 1st pfd	47¾	Do pfd	[illegible]
Do 2d pfd	37	Wabash	[illegible]
Grand Trunk	20⅝	Do pfd	[illegible]
Illinois Central	144¼	Spanish 4s	[illegible]

Bar silver steady, 22¾d per ounce. Money [illegible] per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 9-16@2⅝ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2 9-16@2⅝ per cent.

BERLIN, Feb. 2.—Trading was dull and prices were irregular on the bourse today. Exchange on London, 20m 46¾ pfg for checks. Private rate of discount, 3 per cent. The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes:

Closing	Change
Cash in hand, decreased	[illegible]
Loans, increased	[illegible]
Discounts, increased	[illegible]
Treasury bills, decreased	[illegible]
Notes in circulation, increased	[illegible]
Deposits, decreased	[illegible]
Gold in hand, decreased	[illegible]

PARIS, Feb. 2.—Prices continued to recover on the bourse today, but the market closed unsettled owing to a decline in Rio Tintos. Three per cent rentes, 95f 82½c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 17½c for checks.

REVIEW OF METAL TRADE.

Mills Continue to Receive Specifications in Large Volume—Weakness in Pig Iron.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—[Special.]—The Iron Age will say tomorrow that the iron trade shows the working of cross currents. The mills continue to receive specifications in large volume, and though there is quietness in some finished lines, consumption is at a rate that would be considered remarkable except by comparison with the unusual movement of four months ago. The pig iron market shows further weakness, due to the pressure of iron for delivery in the next few months, stocks having accumulated in some sections. Buyers seem to have put aside for the time being negotiations for iron for the second half of the year.

The weakness in basic iron in the central west is due to the existence of stocks reported at 60,000 tons owned by speculators; such iron has been offered at $16.50, and lower, at valley furnace for prompt shipment. Furnaces are asking $17.00.

In rails it is understood that the Baltimore and Ohio purchases have been completed, about 80,000 tons being divided between the Lackawanna and Pittsburg districts, while 25,000 tons went to an eastern mill.

An index to the larger activity in the foundry trade is the appearance of inquiries in the New York machinery market for $1,000,000 worth of equipment for machine shop work. Not in three years has there been such a volume of prospective business before the machinery trade.

RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

WESTERN ROADS.

*Daily. †Sunday. ‡Ex. Saturday. §Ex. Sunday. ¶Ex. Monday.

Chicago & North Western

Ticket office, 212 Clark-st. (Telephone Central 42); and Wells Street Station. Information Bureau, Telephone Main 3009 and Automatic 3009.

Leave		Arrive
*7.00 am	Milwaukee, Madison, Minneapolis	*9.45 pm
*8.00 am	Milwaukee, Madison, Manitowoc	*3.45 pm
*9.00 am	Rockford and Freeport, via Elgin	*7.25 pm
*9.00 am	St. Paul, Minneapolis, Mitchell, Huron	*7.25 pm
*9.00 am	Omaha, Winona, Minneapolis and Dak.	*7.25 pm
*10.00 am	Milwaukee, Green Bay, Menominee	*4.45 pm
*10.00 am	Madison via Merrimac Ferry	*4.45 pm
*10.00 am	Rockford via Harvard	*4.45 pm
*10.00 am	Omaha, Cedar Rapids, Des Moines	*4.45 pm
*11.00 am	Elgin, Rockford, Freeport	*2.45 pm
*11.00 am	Milwaukee, Green Bay, Sheboygan, Manitowoc, Marinette, Menominee	*2.45 pm
*11.00 am	Kenosha, Racine, Milwaukee	*2.45 pm
*11.00 am	Cedar Rapids and Intermediate	*2.45 pm
*2.00 pm	Milwaukee and Madison	*10.45 am
*3.00 pm	Milwaukee, Green Bay, Menominee	*10.45 am
*4.00 pm	Milwaukee, Madison	*10.45 am
*4.00 pm	Beloit, Janesville, Madison	*10.45 am
*4.00 pm	Milwaukee and Intermediate	*10.45 am
*4.45 pm	Elgin, Rockford, Freeport	*10.45 am
*5.00 pm	Milwaukee, Sheboygan, Manitowoc, Kewaunee, Green Bay, Menominee	*10.45 am
*5.00 pm	Oshkosh, Wausau, Marshfield	*10.45 am
*5.00 pm	Denver, Omaha and Council Bluffs	*10.45 am
*5.00 pm	Des Moines, Omaha, Sioux City	*10.45 am
*5.00 pm	Duluth, Superior, Janesville	*10.45 am
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*6.00 pm	St. Paul, Minneapolis, Madison	*9.45 am
*7.00 pm	Omaha, Ogden, Salt Lake, San Francisco, Los Angeles	*9.15 am
*7.00 pm	Northern Iowa and Dakotas	*9.15 am
*8.00 pm	Milwaukee, Calumet, Marquette	*7.00 am
*8.00 pm	Dubuque, Sioux City, Black Hills	*7.00 am
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OTHER WEST SIDE DEAL.

Modern Parlor Furniture Co. Buys Land at N. 40th Ave. and Bloomingdale Road.

An eight story bank and office building, to cost around $200,000, is planned for the southwest corner of Madison and Halsted streets, as the result of negotiations said to be practically closed for the acquirement of the land.

The transaction involves the sale by Hannah & Hogg of the building and leasehold estate in the ground which has a frontage of 115 feet on Madison street, with a depth of 50 feet on Halsted street, and the consideration is said to be $80,000.

The ground belongs to the estate of Hiram R. Peabody, and was leased to Hannah & Hogg about two years ago at an annual rental of about $13,000. The name of the prospective purchaser is withheld, but the deal is reported as good as closed.

Real estate men cognizant of the transaction regard it as a most important development in connection with the growing activity in this belt of west side property.

Furniture House Gets New Site.

Another important transaction in west side property closed during the day was the purchase by the Modern Parlor Furniture company from Thomas H. Hulbert of a tract of about two acres at the southwest corner of North Fortieth avenue and Bloomingdale road, and the southeast corner of the road and North Fortieth court for $9,000. On this property, which has a frontage of 500 feet on the two streets, the company, which is now located at 604-668 Division street, will construct a plant to cost about $150,000. The transaction was negotiated by Nicholas Ingelman.

Willis & Frankenstein have sold for Michael H. Spades to Cohen and Zelanski the 175 acre farm formerly known as the Falkenau farm, two miles north of Benton Harbor, Mich., for $28,000 cash.

Former Alderman Buys Sixty Acres.

Former Ald. Thomas Carey has acquired from Charles Booth a tract of about sixty acres at the southwest corner of North Sixty-fourth avenue (Diversey avenue, except right of way of Chicago Suburban railway company. It adjoins the present Carey company brick plant, and will be used either in connection with this plant or will be sold for factory sites.

Mr. Carey has made several leases in the thirty-three acre tract at Forty-fifth to Forty-seventh streets and the Panbandle road, formerly the plant of the American Brick company. He has leased about two acres to the Wisconsin Granite company, one and one-quarter acres to the Lake Material company and one and one-half acres to another concern. Negotiations are on for a lease of ten acres to be used as the site for a car repair works, which will handle the business of the Pennsylvania road.

Knoop Gets More Land.

Charles Weinfeld has sold to Robert and Sol Bardin the property in Sixty-third street, 100 feet east of Green street, 25x125 feet, north front, with brick business improvements, for $25,000, with incumbrance of $14,000.

Ernst H. Knoop has added to his recently acquired holding of the Folz Hall property at Larrabee street and North avenue by the purchase from Edward G. Henkel of 24x100 feet in North avenue, 48 feet east of Larrabee street, for $14,000.

It is announced that Jacob L. Kesner, who recently retired as manager of the Fair, will next year improve his holding at the northwest corner of Fifth avenue and Madison street with a skyscraper to cost around $800,000.

It may be a twenty story structure, although definite plans have not been decided upon as yet. The improvement of this property with a modern building was announced at the time Mr. Kesner completed his acquirement of the land at the corner.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Chase-av., 320 s e cor Greenleaf-st, 40x150, Dec. 31, 1909 [E. C. Bruce to Sara C. Leitzow] $ 7,000
Clark-st., 97 n of Morse-av., e f, 20x125, Dec. 31, 1909 [Gerhart Gulley to R. H. [illegible]
Same prty., Dec. 31, 1909 [E. H. Allen to [illegible]
Same prty., Dec. 31, 1909 [E. H. Allen to [illegible]
Estes-av., s e cor Perry-st., n f, 37½x125, Jan. 29 [H. J. Ross to John F. Hagey] 1
Same prty., Jan. 29 [J. P. Hagey to Lillie G. Ross] 1
Ridge-av., between Pratt and Devon, w f, 330 ft n of Pratt, w f, 330x660 ft, Jan. 28 [Arthur L. Farwell to Frederick W. Avery] 10,000
Sheridan-av., n e cor Ashland, s f, 60x125, Jan. 25 [Harvey U. Moser to Axel H. Barbour] 10
Same prty., Sheridan-rd., n w cor North Shore-av., s f, 100x150 and the Maxwell apartments on the above bonds, Feb. 1, 1910, 95 per cent [William G. Spoerl to Colonial Trust and Savings bank] 26,000

LAKE VIEW.

Arlington-pl., 220 n of N. Clark-st., s f, 100x[illegible], Jan. 28 [Frederick S. Winston et al. to Ephraim Hestetter] 24,000
Belmont-av., s e cor Lincoln-st., n f, 87½x[illegible], Jan. 29 [Emilie Kolle quitclaims to N. F. Pruesing] 5
Bayse-st., 50 w of Lincoln-st., s f, 26x125, Jan. 28 [Frederick S. Winston et al. to Chatlewood-terrace, 503 e of Sheridan-rd, s f, 50x114, incumb. $7,000, Feb. 1 [James A. Rowoth to Daniel T. Keller] 8,023
Diversey-blvd., 125 w of Sheffield-av., s f, 25x125, Jan. 29 [N. Ott to Anna Ott] 1
Dakin-st., 150 w of Sheffield-av., n f, 25x124, Jan. 29 [N. Ott to John P. Ott] 1
Hamden-ct., 176 s of Wrightwood-av., e f, 25x125, Jan. 29 [Julia H. Engle to Ada Louis Derdiger] 10,000
Lyman-av., 149 s of Wilson, w f, 25x125, Jan. 28 [John C. McDonald to Thomas Christensen] 1
Oakdale-av., 99 s of Wellington, e f, 25x125, Jan. 28 [E. M. Stahl to Fred Jones] 1
Sheffield-av., 50 n of Belmont, e f, 50x125, Jan. 28 [Frederick S. Winston et al. to Katharine L. Gale] 7,500
Roscoe-st., 75 w of Sheffield-av., s f, 25x125, Jan. 24 [H. E. Shelley to E. Robert Johnson] 1
Wellington-av., 300 e of Ashland-av., s f, 25x124, incumb. $3,000, Jan. 28 [Herman Kittler to Louis Lakowitz] 10,000
Wellington-av., 300 e of Ashland-av., s f, 25x124, incumb. $3,000, Jan. 28 [G. A. Stanway to Peter Morak] 1
Cleveland-av., 91 s of Farragut-st., w f, 25x125, Jan. 28 [P. V. Pavlasek to Frank Kita] 6,500
Diversey-blvd., 145 e of Sacramento-av., s f, 25x125, Jan. 29 [Johanna Naughton to Norah Ryan] 7,500
Kenmore-av., 100 s of Grace-st., w f, 25x125, Jan. 28 [Louis Pelletier to Ernst Stenman to Annie E. Peterson] 1
Trust deed—Brown-av., s w cor Winnemac-av., s f, 100x125, and the Pauline apts., bonds, Jan. 15, 1910, 5½% [Louis Neumann to Colonial Trust and Savings Bank] 22,000

JEFFERSON.

Ballou-st., 243 s of Greenwood-ter., w f, 25x125, Jan. 29 [A. D. Marwedel to Adolph Diener] 1
Ridgeway-av., 105 n e of Gerome-st., w f, 25x125, Jan. 31 [F. Malich to Wm. H. Gieseckke] 5,400
Smith-av., N. s w cor Devon-av., 60 acres except pt conveyed to Chicago Suburban railway, and Devon-av. from Ridge road to Pratt, 33 ft, Feb. 1 [Chas. Booth to Wrightwood-av., 95 s of Montrose-av., s f, 27x125, incumb. $2,000, Dec. 1, 1909 [N. Olson to Nels Olson] 4,200

NORTH TOWN.

Howe-st., 270 e of Clybourn-av., s f, 25x124, incumb. $1,000, Jan. 29 [John F. Hardt to South Haven, Mich., to Albert Atkinson] 7,600
Mohawk-st., 180 n of Blackhawk-st., e f, 25x118, Jan. 29 [N. Ott to Elizabeth A. Porter] 1
North-av., 48 e of Larrabee-st., s f, 24x100, Jan. 19 [Edward G. Henkel to Ernst H. Knoop] 34,000

SOUTH TOWN.

Calumet-av., bet 32d and 33d-sts., e f, 50x120, m. or l., June 29, 1909 [George A. Farring to Frank D. Darling] 1
Dearborn-st., 33 s of 24th-st., e f, 50x125, Jan. 28 [Michael H. Spades to Roger H. Appleyard] 14,000
La Salle-st., 75 n of 22d, w f, 25x125, Jan. 31 [E. Budinger to Robt. J. Gunning] 10
26th-st., 136 e of Michigan-av., s f, 48x124, Jan. 24 [Ernest A. Hamill to Harry F. and Nana P. Bayley] 1
26th-st., 50 w of Shields-av., s f, 24x125, Jan. 31 [R. Raymond Lewis to Benedictus Angina] 1
Wabash-av., 204 s of 26th-st., w f, 100x120, and e f, Jan. 15 [Dwight Culler of Detroit, Mich., quitclaims to Milliron C. Lambert, Esther C. Bagley, and Frances Culler, all of Detroit, Mich., and Mary C. Hardy of Chicago] 1
29th-st., 125 w of Michigan-av., s f, 25x125, Jan. 28 [Louis Levin to Benedictus Angina] 1
Wabash-av., 204 s of 26th-st., w f, 100x120, and e f, Jan. 15 [Dwight Culler of Detroit, Mich., quitclaims to Milliron C. Lambert, Esther C. Bagley, and Frances Culler, all of Detroit, Mich., and Mary C. Hardy of Chicago] 1
Michigan-av., 206 n of 50th-st., e f, 30x160, incumb. $3,000, Feb. 1 [Clara J. Olmstead to Richard D. Conklin] 18,000
St. Lawrence-av., 145 n of 40th-st., w f, 25 to alley, Jan. 24 [Mary Woodley and James Jay Woodley to Jennie Lindin] 1
Schuyler and Susanna F. High] 2
Vincennes-av., 261 n of 48th-st., w f, 25x125, Jan. 18 [Louis Werner of New York City to Johanna G. Toellner] 7,000
Ellis-av., 112 n of 54th-pl., e f, 100x158½, Jan. 31 [Chas. F. M. G. Magill to Harriett M. Wetmore] 1
Evans-av., 216 n of 64th-st., e f, 24x129, Jan. 28 [Thomas to Patrick Lynch] 7,000
64th-st., 100 e of Kimbark-av., s f, 50x126, Nov. 1, 1909 [C. Firebaugh to Martin E. Nordman] 4,350
Kimbark-av., 300 n of 62d-st., e f, 50x126, incumb. $2,500, Dec. 16, 1909 [Mrs. Augusta Bruce Allice to Mary E. Ryan, Mary Lexington-av., 198 s of 55th-st., w f, 25x125, Jan. 31 [R. J. Lytle to Henry Quilici] 7,500
State-st., 50 n of 47th-st., w f, 25x125, Jan. 29 [Sallie Muehlstaen and husband, Robert, to Emil M. Gross] 1
Washington-boul., 189 e of 62d-st., w f, 50x160, incumb. $14,000 assumed, Jan. 4 [Thomas F. MacLean of Joliet, Ill., to Frank Vallette, Ann Arbor, Mich.] 1
Jackson-av., 100 n of 83d-st., w f, 100x125, Jan. 29 [Mary C. K. Foster to Louise W. Thom et al.] 1
91st-st., 81 w of Paxton-av., s f, 50x100, and e f, Jan. 6 [W. T. Stewart to Samuel E. Brown] 1
Woodlawn-av., n e cor of 49th-st., w f, 100x125, Jan. 29 [Mary E. Mann to Charlotte Rosenfield to Drovers' Trust and Savings bank, trust deed] 25,000
Jackson-park, s e cor of 53d-st., w f, 50x100, bonds Jan. 15, 5 years, 5½% [Patrick D. Ryan to Edward C. Wentworth, trustee, trust deed] 35,000

LAKE.

Center-av., n e cor of 56th-st., w f, 50x124, Jan. 29 [J. F. Fleming to August J. Michaelis] 4,500
Justine-st., 297 s of 70th, e f, 25x121, Jan. 31 [H. Jurgensen to Fannie Moscato] 8,187
Garfield-blvd., 100 e of Ashland-av., s f, 52½x145, Feb. 1 [M. Benner to Thos. Carey] 4,500
Larrabee-st., 70 n of 72d-st., e f, 30x118, Jan. 27 [Emma Nelson and husband, Fred B., and ½ int. to Maria S. Nelson] 1
Lowe-av., 125 s of 56th, e f, 25x125, Dec. 1, 1909, Jan. 27 [W. C. Walter to Fred Bernstein] 1
Parnell-st., 241 s of 71st, e f, 25x125, Dec. 1, 1907 [Lizzie A. Berryman of Pomona, Cal., to James Alexander Greig] 9,700
Tilden-st., 75 s of 37th, e f, 25x125, Dec. 2, 1909 [Mary C. R. Griswold of Evanston and others to Wm. Esch and Clara P. P. Kornwell] 8,000
Stewart-av., 197 n of 75th-st., e f, 25x128, Jan. 31 [H. Tibbits to Geo. P. Hoffman] 10
66d-st., 100 e Green, n f, 25x125, incumb. $14,000, Jan. 31 [Chas. Weinfeld to Robert Sol. Bardin] 25,000
Wood-st., 514½ n of 52d, e f, 50x125, Jan. 28 [August Vrchota to Florence Carr] 1
Same prty., Jan. 29 [F. Carr to Aug. Vrchota] 1
Wentworth-av., 125 s of 50th-st., e f, 25x124, Jan. 27 [M. Lieberman to Ella Epstein] 4,500

WEST TOWN.

Central Park-av., n e cor W. 16th-st., w f, 45x125, incumb. $18,000, Jan. 21 [Benjamin M. Shonfeld et al. to Samuel Isenstein] 27,000
Central Park-av., n w cor Throop, s f, 48x124, incumb. $4,000, Jan. 17 [Samuel Isenstein to Benjamin M. Shonfeld] 40,000
S. 40th-av., 9 w cor W. 21st-pl., e f, 41x125, Jan. 17 [John J. Vosek to Frank Spinar] 21,000
204 and 206 W. Madison-st., n f, 48x120, and bldg., Jan. 28 [George Beidler to Henry Meyer] 27,000
311 and 313 N. Green-st. and 616 W. Fulton-st., w f, 150x50, m. or l., Jan. 31 [Adele P. Adams to Isabel A. Brown] 1
Madison-st., 20 e of Union, s f, 19½x116; Union-st., s e cor Meridian, w f, 27x78, Jan. 19 [Henry Wilson and Mary Ann Wilson, his wife, quitclaims, to Michael S. Power] 1
Austin-av., bet. Ashland-av. and Paulina, n f, 99x100, incumb. $1,500, July 15 [Michael Dillon to Patrick Jos. Walsh] 6,000
Bunker-st., 111 e of Desplaines, n f, 22x[illegible], Dec. 31, 1909 [William S. Schmidt to Ernest H. Lyons] 1
California-av., 78 s of Wabansia, e f, 25x106, incumb. $1,000, Jan. 21 [Camil Vanwollegem to Frank Pollounis] 4,500
Campbell-av., 257 n of Division-st., w f, 24x126, incumb. $1,000, Feb. 1 [M. A. Nelson to Joseph Aranek] 1
Custer-av., n w cor Gilpin-pl., s f, 26x125, Jan. 31 [H. Jung to Henry X. Cabill] 5,475
Dickens-st., 25 s of Blackhawk, w f, 24x125, Jan. 31 [Joseph Pinkowski to Mary Kowalski, Joseph Pinkowski, Jr., Catherine Pinkowski, daughters of grantor, grantor reserves life estate] 1
Hoyne-av., 50 s of Northwestern-av., incumb. $6,000, Jan. 28 [Mabel Chmura to Jan Kwiatkowski] 6,250
Fairfield-av., 200 s of 21st-st., w f, 25x125, Feb. 1 [T. Kazalski to John Gabriel] 6,000
Paulina-st., 42 n of 18th, w f, 42x100, Jan. 31 [Joseph Hladonsky to Alois Vanas] 6,300
Pulaski-av., 125 s of California, e f, 25x125, Jan. 31, 1910 [Jan. Jan. [Mary L. Roberts of Danville, Ky., to William Lenox] 4,000
34th-pl., W. 278 w of Canal-st., s f, 82x176, Jan. 28 [Chas. B. Lincoln of London, England, to Louis Pelletier] 4,000
Grand-av., 100 e of Hamlin, s f, 50x125, Jan. 29 [H. Baldwin Jr. to Wm. H. Carston] 1
Hamlin-av., s w cor Ohio-st., e f, 200x125, Dec. 29, 1909 [Jean M. Vallette of Ann Arbor, Mich., to Thos. W. MacLean of Joliet, Ill.] 1
Kedzie-av., 200 e of Huron-st., w f, 25x100, incumb. $2,000, Jan. 29 [Mary Kinzer to Edward H. and Bertha Lockton] 5,000
Kedzie-av., 50 n of La Moyne-st., e f, 50x177, incumb. $9,000, Jan. 29 [Viking Johnson to Johanna Mothy] 10,000
Kedzie-av., 100 n of 15th-st., e f, 25x124, Jan. 27 [Elias Kopecky to Morris Lieberman] 10,000
Leavitt-st., 100 n of Van Buren, e f, 25x125, incumb. $4,500, Jan. 28 [Kate Kolender to Jake Levy] 27,000
Leavitt-st., 50 n of Hinsdale, e f, 25x125, Jan. 28 [Metropolitan West Side Elevated Ry. Co. to Jos. Mistelski] 1
Ogden-av., 50 s of Turner, n f, 50x160, incumb. $20,000, Jan. 31 [Mary E. Dandelin to Sarah B. Chaney] 1
Ohio-st., 21 e of Christiana-av., s f, 50x100, and e f, Jan. 29 [Jacob Volz to Arthur G. Volz] Volz, his wife, affection and [illegible] 1
Polk-st., 23 e of Leavitt, s f, 50x120, incumb. $2,000, Jan. 28 [Jacob Levy to Henry Shlugick] 1
Sacramento-av., 48 n of Grenshaw, w f, 32½x125, incumb. $2,000, Jan. 31 [E. A. Ott to James F. Smith] 7,000
Superior-st., s e cor Leavitt, s f, 50x100, incumb. $6,000, Jan. 28 [Geo. E. Hesh et al. to Stan. Hitman] 12,400
Taylor-st., 50 w of Ashland-av., s f, 25x125, Jan. 31 [J. P. H. Lamp to Chas. Mathey] 1
Same property, Jan. 31 [G. H. Murphy to Antonia Dalikowski] 1
Thomas-st., 155 ft of Greenwood-av., s f, 50x125, incumb. $6,000, Jan. 28 [John Weis to Peter G. Shaibley] 1
18th-st., 128 w of Canal, s f, 50x125, Jan. 28 [E. Epstein to Alex. Eisenstein] 1
Washington-blvd., s e cor Western-av., e f, 50x240, Jan. 29 [L. Samkowitz to L. Yampolsky] 1
West Side-av., 40 s of S. 46th-av., s f, 24x125, Jan. 24 [Chas. F. Holman to Henry Bellow] 1
Western-av., 50 n of Armitage, e f, 50x125, Jan. 29 [E. Fitzpatrick to Tecklis Eichenbaum] 1
Wilcox-st., 176 w of S. Ashland-av., s f, 24x125, Jan. 31 [Alford to Nellie G. Farmer] 1
Wood-st., 418 n of 12th, e f, 25x125, incumb. $6,500, Feb. 1 [Moses D. Cohen to Louis Spodek] 7,000

Building Permits.

4031 Cornelia-av., 2 story brick flats, Henry Aulie [illegible] $ 5,500
41st-st. and Langley-av., 2 story brick flats, Chas. Ahlgren [illegible] 5,800
5337 W. North-av., 2 story brick store and flats, C. E. Jensen [illegible] 4,500
5146 S. Throop-st., 2 story frame flats, F. Maniewski [illegible] 3,800
1968-70-72 Cityboume-av., 1 and 2 story brick factory, Globe Metal company [illegible] 13,000
4904 Byron-st., 2 story frame flats, Fred Liedel [illegible] 3,800
5800 and 5803 Kenmore-av., 2 story brick flats, August Sievers [illegible] 12,000
815 Lafayette-parkway, 3 story brick, 8 flats, Charles A. Milner [illegible] 11,000

OFFICIAL WEATHER REPORT.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

Illinois and Indiana—Rain, possibly changing to snow, and much colder Thursday, Friday fair.

Wisconsin—Fair in west, snow in northeast portion; Thursday colder, Friday fair, brisk and high north winds, becoming variable.

Lower Michigan—Snow and colder Thursday, Friday fair, brisk and high north winds.

Upper Michigan—Snow flurries and colder Thursday, Friday fair.

Iowa—Fair and colder Thursday, Friday fair.

Minnesota—Fair Thursday, colder in east portion, Friday fair.

North Dakota and South Dakota—Fair and warmer Thursday, Friday fair.

Place of observation.	Temperature.	Max. temp.	Precipitation.	Direction of wind.	Weather.
Time taken: Feb. 2, 7 p. m.					
Abilene	40	60	.06	N.	Clo'dy
Albany	18	22		N.E.	Snow
Alpena	28	32	.05	N.E.	Snow
Atlanta	48	54		S.E.	Clo'dy
Amarillo	28	32	Tr.	N.	Clo'dy
Baltimore	40	50		S.	Clear
Battleford	8	14		N.	Clear
Bismarck	10	18	Tr.	N.W.	Clear
Boise	24	28		N.	Clear
Boston	32	36	Tr.	N.E.	Snow
Buffalo	32	40	Tr.	N.	Clear
Calgary	20	34		W.	Clear
Charleston	52	60		N.	Clear
Charlotte	40	54		S.W.	Clo'dy
Cheyenne	22	40	.02	W.	Clo'dy
Chicago	40	48	.04	N.	Clo'dy
Cincinnati	50	56		S.W.	Clo'dy
Cleveland	42	44		W.	Clear
Davenport	32	40	.01	N.	Clo'dy
Denver	16	20	.14	N.	Snow
Des Moines	34	40		N.W.	Clo'dy
Detroit	38	38	.03	S.W.	Rain
Dodge City	10	20		W.	Clear
Dubuque	32	38	.02	N.	Clo'dy
Dubuque	32	38		N.	Clo'dy
Duluth	24	24	.04	N.E.	Clo'dy
El Paso	36	54		N.E.	Clo'dy
Edmonton	24	28		S.	Clo'dy
Escanaba	28	30	.04	N.	Snow
Galveston	54	60	.04	N.E.	Clo'dy
Grand Haven	36	38	.08	N.E.	Snow
Grand Rapids	32	42	.02	N.E.	Sleet
Green Bay	32	38	.02	N.	Rain
Havre	24	34		W.	Clear
Huron	12	26		N.W.	Clear
Indianapolis	46	50	Tr.	N.	Clear
Jacksonville	52	60		N.	Clo'dy
Kansas City	24	32	.18	N.	Clo'dy
Little Rock	48	62	.02	S.	Clo'dy
Los Angeles	52	56		W.	Clear
Marquette	26	30	Tr.	E.	Clo'dy
Medicine Hat	24	30		S.	Fair
Milwaukee	32	36	.01	N.E.	Rain
Minnedosa	8	12		N.	Clear
Montreal	24	28	.01		Fair
Moorhead	16	22		N.W.	Clear
Nashville	42	52	.02	N.W.	Clo'dy
New Orleans	64	68	Tr.	S.E.	Clo'dy
New York	40	44		N.	Clo'dy
Northfield	20	24	Tr.	N.W.	Clo'dy
Oklahoma	34	52	.41	N.	Clo'dy
Omaha	26	34	Tr.	N.W.	Clo'dy
Philadelphia	40	44		S.W.	Clo'dy
Pittsburg	40	48		S.	Clear
Portland, Ore.	40	48		N.	Clear
Rapid City	16	24	Tr.	N.	Clear
Qu'Appelle	14	18		S.W.	Clear
San Francisco	48	54		W.	Clear
St. Louis	46	54	.02	S.	Rain
Salt Lake City	28	32	.04	S.	Snow
San Antonio	74	78	.02	N.	Clear
San Diego	52	60	.02	N.W.	Clear
Ste. Marie	24	28	Tr.	N.E.	Fair
Spokane	20	32		S.	Clo'dy
Springfield, Ill.	46	52	.04	N.W.	Rain
Tacoma	40	48		N.	Fair
Washington	40	48		N.W.	Clear
White River	10	20		E.	Fair
Williston	10	20		E.	Clear
Winnipeg	14	18		S.W.	Snow
Yellowstone Park	0	12		N.W.	Clear

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed by U. S. Meteorologist Bell at Tribune building, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 48; 9 a. m., 43; 10 a. m., 45; 11 a. m., 46; 12 m., 46; 1 p. m., 46; 2 p. m., 46; 3 p. m., 46; 4 p. m., 46; 5 p. m., 46; 6 p. m., 46; 7 p. m., 46; 8 p. m., 46; 9 p. m., 46. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.48; 8 p. m., 29.32.

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DEATHS.

IN MEMORIAM.

CELLA—Paul Cella, in loving memory of our dearly beloved husband and father, who passed away from us one year ago today, Feb. 3, 1909.
Requiem high mass will be said at Precious Blood church, corner of

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TO RENT—2 LARGE FRONT ROOMS FOR TWO gents or married couple; all conv. 1641 Warren-av.

TO RENT — 3224 MONROE-ST., SOUTH FRONT rooms, suitable for two. Phone Kedzie 7263.

TO RENT—ATTRACTIVE FRONT ROOM, WEST Side. 3851 Lexington-st., 2d flat.

TO RENT—2 LARGE, LIGHT, WARM, STEAM heated rooms; all conveniences. 323 Loomis-st.

TO RENT—FRONT ROOM; STEAM; BOARD OPtional. G. W. PERKINS, 623 S. Central Pk.-av.

TO RENT—ROOMS—NORTH.

TO RENT—DESIRABLE LARGE FRONT ROOM; steam, modern, walking; kitchen priv.; special rates. 908 La Salle-av., Flat 6. Phone North 7763.

TO RENT—LARGE, BRIGHT FRONT ROOM; gentlemen; Wilson station N. W. "L." 4542 Sheridan-road. 3d apt.

TO RENT—ELEGANTLY FURN. FRONT ROOM in cor. apt.; steam, elec. light; ½ blk. N. W. "L" sta.; breakfast optional. Phone Lake View 2748.

TO RENT—3139 MICHIGAN-AV., 2D FLAT, single front room; steam heat, hot and cold water; also back parlor.

TO RENT—2215 SHEFFIELD-AV., 2D. PLEASant furnished room; board op.; steam; near Webster L. Lincoln 4526.

TO RENT—LIGHT, MOD. ROOM; PRIV. FAMily, steam, electric light, bath; 1 blk. Linc. Pk. and lake. Phone Linc. 3954.

TO RENT—567 FULLERTON-AV., NR. CLARK, apt. 23; desirable modern rooms; all conv.

TO RENT—156 EUGENIE-ST.; NICELY FURN. single room with lavatory, hot water, phone.

TO RENT—12 NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, $1.50 to $5 per week. 2063 N. Clark.

TO RENT—501 FULLERTON-AV., FLAT [illegible], luxuriously furn. front room; steam; gentlemen.

TO RENT—NEWLY FURN'D FRONT ROOM, lady or couple employed. 641 Grace-st., 3d apt.

TO RENT—330 FULLERTON-AV.—OUTSIDE sunny rooms; s. heat; 1 blk. to "L" exp.

TO RENT — 1308 DEARBORN-AV., 3D FLAT, large, elegant, modern room in private family.

TO RENT—1350 LA SALLE-AV.—FINELY FURnished large front room; every conv. Tel.

TO RENT—DOUBLE ROOM; PRIVATE FAMily. 1160 N. State-st. 2d flat.

TO RENT—48 ST. JAMES-PL. LARGE WARM homelike; also small room; private family.

TO RENT—120 LOCUST-ST., FLAT H, FINE rooms overlooking Washington Sq. Phone 2600 N.

TO RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS, NEAR N. W. L station and electric cars. 2017 Bissell-st.

TO RENT—ELEGANTLY FURNISHED ROOMS; steam; run. water; walk. dis. 671 Cass-st.

TO RENT—3 PRETTY FRONT ROOMS, SINGLE or en suite; modern; 1st flat. 1040 Rush-st.

TO RENT—319 E. ERIE-ST., APT. 5, NICELY furnished steam heated room; phone; walk. dis.

TO RENT—PLEASANT OUTSIDE ROOM, PRIvate fam., 1 blk. Wilson ex. Tel. Edgewater 2902.

TO RENT—1943 LARCHMONT-AV., NR. LINcoln-av.; large, elegantly furn. room for two.

TO RENT—542 BELDEN-AV., LARGE SOUTH front room; 1 or 2 gents.; private; good transp.

TO RENT—32 BELLEVUE-PL.—WELL FURN. rooms, all modern conveniences; walking dist.

TO RENT—3518 WILTON-AV., LARGE FRONT room, suitable for two; ½ blk. from L station.

TO RENT—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED rooms; steam; kitchen priv. 6000 Clarendon-av.

TO RENT—22 W. ELM-ST., BRIGHT PLEASANT front rooms; mod.; steam; phone; walking dist.

TO RENT—ROOMS—NORTH.

TO RENT—1334 LA SALLE-AV., BY OWNER, beautifully decorated and furnished rooms; hardwood floors, Wilton rugs, Morris chairs, brass bed, hair mattress, nice closets, running water, hot water at all hours; steam heat; strictly first class in every particular; excellent transportation. Refs. Phone North 3622.

TO RENT—LARGE FRONT ROOM AND ALcove; well furnished; in up to date apt. on Sheridan-road; one or two gentlemen or gentleman and wife; private family; best location and transportation. Phone Graceland 3866.

TO RENT—2842 BURLING-ST. BEAUTIFULLY furnished parlor, alcove bedroom; also double room, bath adjoining; congenial surroundings for couple or two gentlemen; board optional. Apartment F. Phone Graceland 1269.

TO RENT—ARE YOU DISSATISFIED? YOU need not be so. I have the cleanest, best furnished, warmest, and nicest rooms on North Side, in modern, private home, near transportation. 863 Dearborn-av. Tel. North 3781.

TO RENT—WANTED, GENTLEMAN OF REfinement in small French family; no other boarders. Second apartment, 5540 South Park-av., bedroom facing Washington Park; one block 55th-st. "L" station. Phone Normal 3119.

TO RENT—2 FRONT ROOMS, WELL FURnished, including bookcase, desk, large closet, steam, electricity; conv. to all N. S. trans.; comfortable home for married couple; party of young men or 2 young ladies. 1707 Crilly-ct. WARD.

TO RENT—2 ELEGANTLY FURNISHED FRONT rooms; every convenience; up to date; private small family; no others. Leasing Annex, 561 Surf-st. Phone Graceland 2767.

TO RENT — 836 DEARBORN-AV., LARGE front room nicely furnished, running water, steam heat; also back parlor. Phone Dearborn 701; walking dist.

TO RENT—540 DAKIN-ST., LARGE, SUNNY outside, steam heated rooms; all conveniences; nicely furn.; board if desired; near Sheridan R. R. ex. station. Tel. Graceland 1484. Refs. exchanged.

TO RENT — 1511 LA SALLE-AV., ELEGANT suites of 2 rooms with private bath; oriental rugs, library table, etc.; one suite in birdseye maple, one in mahogany; hot and cold water; phone.

TO RENT—SINGLE AND HSEKPG. RMS.; large living rms., with kitchenettes; well heated; finely furn.; running water; meals optional. 1026 Dearborn-av. North 3732.

TO RENT—1317 DEARBORN-AV., BEAUTIFUL frn. rooms, $3 up; near park and lake; piano; plenty heat and h. w.; select parties only. Tel. North 4346.

TO RENT—2660 N. CLARK, NEAR FULLERTON-av.; elegantly furnished rooms, single or double, modern residence; gents or couple; piano. Lincoln 6858.

TO RENT — LARGE FRONT ROOM WITH closet; modern apt.; steam heat; priv. family. Edgewater sta. N. W. L.; reas. Phone Edgewater 5784.

TO RENT—TWO SINGLE, BEAUTIFUL ROOMS in new private apartment, for business men; steam, electric light, bath; 1 block N. W. L. Address F A 292, Tribune.

DELIGHTFUL FRONT ROOM, BEAUTIFUL corner apartment, running water; priv. phone and table; 1 blk. Ind. surface, 43d express; gentlemen only. Phone Drexel 5817.

TO RENT—839 EAST WILSON-AV., TOP APT., fine room for couple; refs.; housekeeping privileges; Wilson exp.

TO RENT — NICE FRONT ROOM; PRIVATE family of adults; $3.00; modern; 2½ blks. Wilson L station. 4504 Winthrop-av., Apt. D. Edge. 6528.

TO RENT—934 IRVING PARK-BLVD., 2D APT., newly furn. parlor, suitable for 2 ladies or gentlemen; 1 blk. e. of Sheridan exp. sta.

TO RENT—NICELY FURNISHED, SUNNY room in up to date private home; Wilson exp., N. W. L. Phone Ravenswood 757.

TO RENT — 1308 DEARBORN-AV. — BEAUTIfully furn. front parlor; also large single rooms; excellent locatin; reasnable.

TO RENT—ELEGANT SUITE ROOMS, NEAR Lincoln park; breakfast. 427 St. James-pl., Apt. 3.

TO RENT—605 FULLERTON-BLVD., 1ST APT., newly furnished room in modern apt., women employed.

TO RENT—55 E. SUPERIOR-ST.—STRANGERS, parties desiring elegant furn. double rooms; lavatories; walking distance; nr. lake. North 2324.

TO RENT — 851 FULLERTON-AV., LIGHT well furn. front room; also single room; good heat; blk. to N. W. "L" exp.; phone; reas.

TO RENT—LARGE MODERN FRONT ROOM, 2 gentlemen. Tel. Lincoln 3303. Apt. 1, 158 North-av., near Wells.

TO RENT—1108 DEARBORN-AV., 3D, LARGE light rooms; running water; mod., steam; phone; walking.

TO RENT—A COZY FRONT ROOM FOR A MODerate price; modern home; nr. Wilson L sta. 4733 Winthrop-av. Phone Edgewater 4020.

TO RENT—4427 PEMBERTON-AV., 3D. NEATly furnished room, suitable for one or two; quiet family; Wilson-av. express.

TO RENT—IN A MODERN APT. BEAUTIFUL front room; choice locality; 2½ blks. Wilson exp. sta. 921 Windsor, 2d apt. Phone Edge. 326.

TO RENT—SHERIDAN EXP. STATION—COZY light front room, modern apt.; piano; reasonable; private family. Phone Lake View 5314.

TO RENT—670 RUSH-ST., BEAUTIFUL FRONT room for 1 or 2 gentlemen; mod.; phone; all conv.; walking.

TO RENT—LARGE, SUNNY ROOM; ALL CONV.; $3 a week. 37 E. Oak-st., near State.

TO RENT—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

South Side.

TO RENT—WILL SUBLET KITCHEN, DINING room, and bedroom, furnished, to desirable party; near "L" express. Call Flat 2, 4823 Calumet-av. or phone Drexel 1486.

TO RENT—3233 INDIANA-AV., 2D FLAT—3 rooms; furnished complete; housekeeping; steam.

TO RENT—3520 LAKE-AV., HOUSEKEEPING suite, private bath, laundry, steam, sleeping rooms also.

TO RENT—4384 INDIANA-AV., 1ST—NEWLY furnished hkpg. rooms; modern; "L" exp., Indiana surf.

TO RENT—4228 GREENWOOD-AV., 3 ROOM suite, modern apt.; kitchen; I. C., "L," and surface. Phone Drexel 7077.

TO RENT—4434 ST. LAWRENCE-AV., FLAT F; two nicely furn. front housekeeping rooms, steam, hot water, clean. Phone Drexel 8586.

TO RENT—FUR. ROOMS LIGHT HKP.; PARlor for gentlemen. 3547 Ellis-av., Apt. G. Douglas 5082.

TO RENT—2 AND 3 ROOM SUITES; PRIVATE bath; Parisian style; completely furnished. Phone Oakland 846. 4259 Grand-blvd.

TO RENT — 3514 FOREST-AV. FURNISHED housekeeping suites of two rooms; phone.

TO RENT—2239 PRAIRIE-AV., NICE LIGHT hkpg. rooms; running water; hot w. heat.

TO RENT—HSKPG. SUITE; EXCLUSIVE BATH; kitchen, steam, mod. 3724 Elmwood-av.

TO RENT—KITCHEN AND BEDROOM; ALSO single rm.; steam. 76 E. 31st-st., near Michigan.

West Side.

TO RENT—STRANGERS ARRIVING IN THE city, families boarding or in furnished rooms, should see the fine 2 room suites, furnished, with bedding, dishes, complete for housekeeping, $2, $2.50, $3 weekly; have respectable tenants, room for more. 161 N. Carpenter-st., near Randolph-st.

North Side.

TO RENT—HOUSEKEEPING SUITE OF A NEW modern 5 room flat; kitchen has gas range, sink, laundry, private porch; residence neighborhood; 1 block north of Sheridan-road station N. W. "L." Address F A 294, Tribune.

TO RENT—2 OR 3 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, corner flat; steam heat; electric light; gas range; phone. 2000 Howe-st., flat 3, cor. Center.

TO RENT—345 BELDEN-AV., SUNNY ROOM and alcove for 2; reasonable; splendid locality; ½ blk. from park; phone; good transportation.

TO RENT—NICELY FURN. BEDROOM WITH parlor, kitchen priv., steam, bath, phone. 162 North-av., Apt. R, near Lincoln Park.

TO RENT—2 OR 3 HSKPG. ROOMS, OR FRONT room with kitchen priv.; steam; phone; very modern; walking distance. 904 La Salle-av., Apt. 7.

TO RENT—709 N. CLARK-ST., FINE FRONT housekeeping rooms; gas ranges; clean, respectable.

TO RENT—FURNISHED BEDROOM AND kitchen, exclusive use, $3. Call evenings. 1661 N. Claremont-av.

TO RENT—ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING; best conveniences. 358 Wisconsin-st., near park.

TO RENT—1734 N. CLARK-ST., DESIRABLE front room; light hkpg; opp. Lincoln pk.; phone.

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TO RENT—SUNNY BASEMENT DINING ROOM and kitchen. 150 E. Ontario-st.

WANTED—ROOMS.

WANTED—TO RENT—MARRIED COUPLE AND daughter, 5 years, two light rooms and use of kitchen; furnished, $20; unfurnished, $15 monthly; references; South Side; 51st to 65th-st., near Jackson Park. Address A 187, Tribune.

WANTED—TO RENT—BY YOUNG COUPLE, housekeeping rooms; convenient Rock Island suburban trains; first class references furnished. Address A 198, Tribune.

WANTED—TO RENT—FURNISHED ROOM, BY refined, neat young man, with best references; north of Wilson station N. W. "L." Please state particulars. Address A 184, Tribune.

1900 WASHINGTON-BLVD.—LARGE ALCOVE, south exposure; also other rooms; water in rooms; excellent table; ideal location; reasonable.

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BOARD AND LODGING—SOUTH.

1369 E. 53D-ST., NEAR MADISON-AV., HYDE Park—In high class mod., detached house, desirable suite of 2 large outside rooms; priv. lav. and bath; suitable for 4 gentlemen; also beautiful front room; excellent cooking and everything to make you comfortable; I. C. exp. Midway 940.

1412 E. 53D-ST., NEAR WASHINGTON-AV.— Beautiful front alcove rooms; lovely for 2 or 3 gentlemen, or ladies employed; also outside single rooms; excellent board; reasonable rates; I. C. express; 11 minutes to City. Phone Hyde Park 508.

1415 [NEW] E. 54TH-ST. [OLD 231] — DEtached house, pleasantly located in choice residence district, newly furn. large warm front rooms, south exposure, private lavatories, steam; table boarders served.

5116 KIMBARK-AV.—ROOMS, SINGLE OR EN suite, with board, in luxuriously furnished residence; choice table; comfortable hot water heat; tub and shower baths; unlimited hot water in all rooms; free phone; auto garage; I. C. exp. service.

STRICTLY HIGH CLASS BOARDING QUARters; front suite, 3 rooms, private bath, lavatory, furnished or unfurnished; new apartment, facing Washington Park. Fastidious bachelors preferred. Wentworth 8498.

649 E. 37TH-ST.—THE [NEW] HUNTINGTON— Opposite Ellis Park. Convenient transportation; excellent service; table of highest reputation; rooms single or en suite, with private bath, $7 to $24 per week. Aldine 710.

552 E. 36TH-ST. [OLD 152], THE HAYDEN— Light, newly decorated rooms; single or en suite; steam, hot water, fine location; all home cooking; reas. rates; Cottage Grove and I. C. transportation. Douglas 1440.

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1642 E. 53D-ST., NR. ELMS HOTEL—IN MODern detached house, desirable front room, with private lavatory and all conveniences; excellent home table; 1 block to I. C. exp.

5116 EAST END-AV., OPP. CHICAGO BEACH Hotel—Prettiest avenue in Hyde Park; choice table board with attractive rooms; every home comfort; heat, hot water in abundance; I. C. exp.

754 OAKWOOD-BLVD., MARYLAND — SUNNY rooms; steam, electricity, home table, good transportation; terms moderate; rate on double. Douglas 3549.

5714 WASHINGTON-AV., THE HARVARD—3 min. to cars, 12 to loop; homelike place; choice neighborhood; special rates to business people; cleanliness, comfort, and sociability.

4826 GREENWOOD-AV.—FOR PEOPLE DESIRing refined surroundings, rooms, single, en suite; home table; best transportation. Phone Oakland 597.

5401 JEFFERSON-AV.—IN HIGH CLASS DEtached residence; large front rooms; priv. lav. Excellent board. All conveniences; 2 blocks I. C. exp. and surface.

56 E. 21ST-ST. [OLD 126], NR. MICH.—ROOMS, single or en suite; all large, outside, and beautifully furnished; $10 weekly with board; home cooking; steam heat. Phone Calumet 2155.

643 E. 40TH-ST., NEAR DREXEL-BLVD., MRS. D. NELSON—Rooms and board by the day or week. Telephone Douglas 620. Express, elevated, surface, and Illinois Central.

639 GROVELAND-PARK — LARGE FRONT room with hot and cold water; newly and nicely furnished; good table and service; rates reasonable. Aldine 2329.

3987 LAKE-AV.—LARGE WELL FURN. FRONT rooms, lavatories, abundance hot water, steam; choice table; reas.; Ken. L, I. C., surf. Doug 4605.

4329 BERKELEY-AV. — BEAUTIFULLY FURnished front room, board for 2; unexcelled location; best transportation. Phone Oak 1572.

4003 DREXEL-BLVD.—VERY DESIRABLE front room, running water; $6 per week each, 3 meals daily, 3 Sun.; Kenwood "L."

4568 OAKENWALD-AV.—TWO CONNECTING front rooms, single or en suite; lavatory, electric light, steam; excel. home table; I. C., Ken. L, surf.

5543 MICHIGAN-AV.—LARGE OUTSIDE ROOM, suitable for two; finely furn.; well heated; all conveniences of mod. home; excellent table.

5638 MICHIGAN-AV.—DETACHED PRIVATE house; large room; gentleman or couple; excellent table.

5427 WASHINGTON-AV.—DESIRABLE, LARGE outside room with private lavatory and all conveniences; excel. table; I. C. ex. and surface cars.

4005 ELLIS-AV. — LARGE, BRIGHT ROOMS, one single; lavatories, private bath; steam heat; board optional. Kenwood L, I. C., and surface.

3617 LAKE-AV.—WARMTH, CLEANLINESS, refined, cultured family; good things to eat at moderate rates; I. C. Tel. Douglas 244.

5615 LAKE-AV.—LARGE ROOM AND CLOSETS, r. w. fur.; also 2 smaller rooms; first class board; $5.50 up; special couples; L. surface. Doug. 2278.

3963 DREXEL-BLVD.—PLEASANT 2D FLOOR double room; other outside rooms, with board; ex. transp.

4649 CALUMET-AV.—OUTSIDE FRONT ROOMS, modern convs.; good home cooking; steam; plenty hot water; "L" exp., surface.

CORNER FRONT ROOM ON GRAND-BLVD., in modern residence; steam heat; with board; near 43d L. surface. Phone Drexel 3581.

4005 ELLIS-AV.—LARGE BRIGHT ROOMS, one single; lavatories; private bath; steam heat; board optional; Kenwood L, I. C., and surface.

739 OAKWOOD-BLVD., LIGHT, WARM FRONT room with alcove; mod., all conv.; excellent board; transp.; reasonable.

609 WOODLAND-PARK, NO. 9 — PLEASANT outside room; stm.; r. water; excel. table. Doug. 5866.

3910 PRAIRIE-AV.—NICELY FURN. FRONT room; lavatory; private residence; board; reasonable.

3317 MICHIGAN-AV.—DESIRABLE, LARGE front, for three or four; other rooms, single or double; warm, pleasant; table, good reputation.

3845 ELLIS-AV.—2 CONNECTING ROOMS; ALSO single; board; steam. Douglas 1166.

3918 LAKE-AV. — FRONT ROOM, OVERLKG. lake; also suite with bath; excel. table; I. C., L.

[illegible] INDIANA-AV.—LARGE FURNISHED ROOM with board; two gentlemen. 3178 Drexel.

4627 CALUMET, 3D APT.—PLEASANT FRONT room; board if desired; good transportation.

4128 DREXEL—PARLORS AND MOD. ROOMS; fine board. Phone Drexel 3497 or call.

[illegible] LAKE-AV.—FRONT ROOM WITH BOARD; private lav., h. w. heat; Kenwood L and I. C.

[illegible]-17 ELLIS-AV.—HANDSOME ROOMS WITH board; home attractions; Ken. L, I. C. Drex. [illegible].

[illegible] CORNELL-AV.—THE NORTHROPE; NEWly furnished rooms; run. water; excellent table.

[illegible] MICHIGAN-AV.—SINGLE AND DOUBLE rooms; board; steam h.; all conv. Douglas [illegible].

[illegible] GROVELAND-PK.—BEAUTIFULLY FURN. rooms in mod. home; excellent table. Doug. [illegible].

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BOARD AND LODGING—WEST.

128-136 ASHLAND-BLVD. — "THE GLENWOOD." All rooms beautifully furnished, warm, and clean; steam heat; always hot water; finest home cooking; best residence location; transportation unexcelled. Phone West 2558.

1325 TO 1339 JACKSON-BLVD., BEAUTIFUL front, also side room, running water; ohms comforts; piano; phone, etc.; excellent table board.

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2131 PARK-AV.—NICELY FURN. ROOM; HOT water heat; good home; good transportation.

2242 W. ADAMS-ST.—FURN. ROOM AND ALcove, with or without board.

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110 E. ILLINOIS—LARGE FRONT ROOM, PRIvate family; walking distance; married couple or 2 men; board if desired.

457 ST. JAMES-PL., 3D FLOOR—2 NICELY FUR. rooms, suitable for couple; French cooking; pri. fam., no other roomers; near cars and Linc. park.

1336 DEARBORN-AV.—HANDSOME FRONT rooms in choice location; steam; run. water; excellent table; refined private home; reasonable.

4538-40 PEMBERTON-AV., 2D APT.—BEAUTIful, light, clean room, with best home table; two blocks Wilson-av. exp. Phone Ravenswood 497.

225 E. HURON-ST., NEAR LINCOLN PARK-blvd.—Sunny large south room for 2 or 3; steam; excellent table; walking distance; reasonable.

849-51-53 DEARBORN-AV.—THE SANTA BARbara, now being renovated; best beds; clean, warm rooms; meals the kind mother used to cook.

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553 FULLERTON-BLVD.—BEAUTIFUL LARGE 2d floor front; also single; both with run. water; first class table board.

1255-57-59 DEARBORN-AV.—LIGHT, PLEASant rooms with running water, electric light, steam heat; excellent table. Phone North 2942.

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TO RENT—1ST APT., 818 BUENA-AV., 7 ROOMS, 2 baths; sacrificed; present tenant is leaving city; an A1 opportunity. W. K. YOUNG & BROS., Agts.

637-39 [NEW NO.] DEARBORN-AV., CHESTnut-st. The Arlington—High class family hotel. Phone Dearborn 712.

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645 CASS-ST. [OLD NO. 206]—ROOMS WITH board; moderate prices; walking distance.

1414 DEARBORN-AV.—LARGE, LIGHT SECOND floor room; first class. Tel. N. 1464.

671 DEARBORN-AV.—FUR. RMS.; RUNNING water, steam; walking distance; home cooking.

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GAIN MORE TIME IN OPTION FIGHT

Temperance Workers Can Circulate Petitions Until Midnight Friday.

GIVES HOPE OF SUCCESS.

Less than 1,500 Names Now Required to Get Question on the Spring Ballots.

The discovery of an error in their calculation of the time allowed for the completion of the local option petition has apprised the anti-saloon forces that they have one more day to solicit signatures. It was discovered yesterday by a zealous statistician in the Anti-Saloon league headquarters that the last hour would be midnight of Friday instead of Thursday. It renewed hope that the required 61,000 names will be secured.

Some of the temperance workers thought they could detect the finger of Providence in the extra day, but others demonstrated with the aid of a 1910 calendar and a simple calculation with a short piece of lead pencil that Friday had been the day all the time.

Banner Day for Crusaders.

Yesterday was the banner day so far for the workers engaged in securing signatures to the petition. Nealy 5,000 names were secured. The prospect of an extra twenty-four hours to seek signers changed the blank aspect of the chiefs to a hopeful air. James K. Shields, president of the Illinois Anti-Saloon league, who the day before would only say that he considered the chances even, said that he expected the petition would be completed.

Less than 1,500 names now are needed, according to the figures at headquarters, to get the question on the ballots at the spring election. A large number in excess of the legal requirement is hoped for to offset the duplications and fraudulent names and addresses that it is feared will crop up when the official count is made.

Petitions were circulated through the stockyards yesterday with larger results than yet have been obtained from any single source. Twelve volunteers circulated all day through the Northwestern shops and a special notary public was required to certify the papers they turned in.

Will Hold Massmeeting Tonight.

The massmeeting in Willard hall which was scheduled for tonight, when it was believed that it would mark the last hours of the work, will take place as arranged. Efforts are being put forth by the temperance societies to provide a program that will attract an audience that will fill the hall.

Chief Steward was asked last night if he would permit the circulation of the petition througout the loop at night.

"Not on the streets," he answered. "It is impossible to relax the orders. We cannot have any congestion on the downtown streets. If the solicitors can manage to attend to their business in lobbies and other places except on the sidewalks, that is their own affair. But as for an extension of this, I can only say that the original order must stand and will be enforced."

MAYWOOD'S NEW ORDINANCE GETS THINGS ALL MIXED UP.

Is Aimed at Chickens, Cows, and Junk Heaps and Says Just How Far Live Stock Must Be Kept from Houses.

Chickens, geese, cows, and horses on the premises of Maywood citizens are under all kinds of restrictions. A junk pile will not be tolerated from now on.

This is a pronunciamento which has gone out from the village board after extended, painstaking, and mature deliberation, and to the anti-chicken-goose-cow-horse-junk pile ordinance are attached regulations and limitations promising a merry mixup.

A horse or a cow must be tethered 100 feet away from any dwelling and forty feet off must the chickens be. Dump heaps and junk piles must vanish altogether. Violators are threatened with imposition of fines of from $3 to $100.

In certain sections of Maywood families live close together—three houses on one lot, sometimes. By the time Jones has Prince haltered 100 feet away, Smith has Bossy hitched just as far off and Brown has his Plymouth Rocks the regulation distance out of range, Jones' horse is likely to be in Brown's back yard, Smith's cow on Jones' lot, and Brown's chickens scratching Smith's geraniums—so what's the use?

CHICAGO DOCTOR FINED $25.

Jury Holds That His Failure to Report Smallpox Case Was Ordinance Violation.

The jury in the case of Dr. John G. Craig, 5608 South Halsted street, who failed to report a case of smallpox, returned a verdict of guilty of violating the city ordinance and fined the physician $25 and costs. The trial took place in Municipal Judge Beitler's court. The doctor said he tried to report the case but was unable to locate any of the health department officials. George Mitchell, 5746 South Throop street, was the patient.

STUDENT FINED FOR THEFT.

A. P. Zimmer Convicted of Taking Tableware at Fraternity Banquet in Restaurant.

A. P. Zimmer, 900 La Salle street, a pharmacy student at the Northwestern university, was fined $5 yesterday by Judge Wells, on the charge of taking tableware from the Boston Oyster house the night before during a banquet of the Phi Gamma Sigma fraternity. The articles taken were a pepper shaker, tin tray, three wine glasses, and two small dishes.

BRIDGE PERMIT TO PARK BOARD

Part of Plan to Transport Dirt from Beyond Desplaines River to Lincoln Playground.

The sanitary district trustees granted permission yesterday to the Lincoln park board to construct a bridge over the Desplaines river near Willow Springs, in order that the park commissioners may run a railroad from a certain tract of land to the drainage canal. The purpose is to cary black dirt to the canal in cars, and then up the canal on scows to Lincoln park.

Traction Line Suits Continued.

The four suits filed on Tuesday by the city prosecutor against street railway companies accused by health department officials of having operated cars with a temperature of less than 50 degrees were continued until Feb. 16. They will be heard by Judge Scovel. Three of the suits are against the Chicago Consolidated Traction company and one against the Chicago Union Traction company.

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